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BUSINESS NOTICES.

B. F. PEARCE. J. M. HAWEES.
B. F. PEARCE & CO.,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION Merchants, Wheeling, Va. no24 dtf

WILLIAM SPRADLING,
NO. 88 THIRD STREET, LOUISville, Ky. mr1 dtf

C. R. EDWARDS,
PORTRAIT PAINTER, DELAYney's Buildings, over Hegan, Escott & Moore's, Main street, between Fourth and Fifth, Louisville, Ky. fe7 dly

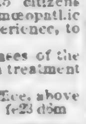
A. M. JONES. JAMES T. ROOT.
JONES & ROOT,
COMMISSION, FORWARDING, & Produce Merchants, Second street, between Main and Water streets, Louisville, Ky. oc23

WILLIAM KAYE,
BELL AND BRASS FOUNDER. Water street, between First and Second, Louisville, Ky.

G. Wilson's
CENTRAL TEA AND FAMILY Store, North side of Jefferson street, between First and Second, Louisville, Ky. mr16

JOHN W. SHARP,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, OFFICE on Jefferson street, between Fourth and Fifth sts., Louisville, Ky., will practice in all the Courts of Louisville, the Court of Appeals, and in the Federal Court at Frankfort for this district. fe8 dly

A. B. SEMPLE & BRO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN Foreign and Domestic Hardware and Cutlery, corner of Sixth and Main streets, Louisville, Ky.
We have on hand a very large and well assorted stock of Hardware and Cutlery, which we offer at very low prices. ul7

DRUG STORE.
TANDY L. DIX, DRUGGIST AND Apothecary, corner of Jefferson and Eighth streets, has on hand a complete assortment of Drugs, Chemicals, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, and Glass. Also, a beautiful assortment of Perfumery and Fancy Articles.

Personal attention paid to the preparation and dispensing of Prescriptions. au31 dly

Dr. D. A. Laubenstein,
HOMŒOPATHIST, OFFICE, NO. 533 Jefferson street, between First and Second, takes the liberty of offering his services to citizens and strangers in curing all diseases by Homœopathic remedies, enabled by much effort and experience, to afford relief in the most desperate cases.
Dr. L. also gives his attention to all diseases of the Eye. He has had many years experience in treatment of ocular diseases.
☞ For further information, call at my office, above mentioned. fe23 d6m

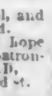
Carter & Jouett,
FORWARDING AND GENERAL Commission Merchants, Louisville, Ky. We, the undersigned, have this day formed a Copartnership for the purpose of transacting a Forwarding and General Commission business, and have taken the house formerly occupied by J. Bell, No. 23, East side of Third, between Main and the River.
FRANK CARTER,
Louisville, Oct. 1, 1854. W. B. JOUETT.
☞ Consignments of Nails, Glass, Cotton Yarns, and Pittsburg Manufactures solicited. sep29

Wells & Armstrong,
MERCHANT TAILORS, FIFTH street, between Market and Jefferson, are now receiving their Spring and Summer Styles of DRESS GOODS, Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Grenadine, Silk, and splendid Marseilles Vestings.
This is one of the richest importations ever secured in this city. The styles are new and elegant, and selected with the greatest possible care. We invite our friends to look in on us.
ap2 WELLS & ARMSTRONG.

M. ZIMMER,
WIG MAKER,
No. 90 Fourth st.,
West side, between Main and Market.
INVENTOR OF THE DIAMOND Wigs, and no humbug, as is practiced in this city. Ladies' Wigs, half Wigs, Braids, Curls, etc., made to order.
Also, Hair Braiding of every description, such as Ear Rings, Bracelets, Breast Pins, Fob and Guard Chains, Necklaces, &c.
☞ Ladies' Hair Dressing done either at their residences or at the store of [ap6] M. ZIMMER.

R. BIGGS & CO.,
BRASS FOUNDERS, SIXTH ST., between Market and Jefferson, in same building with Nelson & Davis's Scale Factory.
All kinds of Brass Castings made to order: Gun Mountings, Copper Rivets, Spelter, Solder, &c.
Also, keep on hand Ale Pumps of a superior quality; Gas, Water, and Steam Cocks, Hose Screws, &c.
☞ Brass Casting and Finishing of all kinds, done with neatness and dispatch. fe2 dtf

JOHN F. HENDLEN,
ARCHITECT AND BUILDER, Office and Shop on Main street, above Floyd, Louisville, Ky., will make Drawings and Specifications, and superintend the erection of every description of buildings, or build the same complete in the city of Louisville or vicinity, on the most favorable terms.
N. B.—I have made arrangements for all kinds of Building Materials, and can furnish the same at the lowest market price.
☞ Dry Lumber always on hand. ja10 d6m

R. S. RINGGOLD,
CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST, 87 Third street. Having returned to Louisville and purchased the store formerly occupied by G. E. Miller, I will give my personal and undivided attention to the Drug and Prescription business in all its branches.

Physicians may depend on having their Prescriptions compounded with accuracy, neatness, and dispatch, at all hours, as I will give them my particular attention.—Family Medicines, of the best quality, will be put up in the most careful and expeditious manner.
I will also keep on hand an elegant and well-selected stock of Perfumery, Soaps, Tooth, Nail, and Hair Brushes, Dressing Combs and other Fancy Goods, which will be sold at fair prices.
I hope that all my old friends will give me a call, and renew the patronage formerly so liberally bestowed.
Having ten years experience in the business, I hope to merit, by strict attention, a share of the public patronage. R. S. RINGGOLD,
mr10 Druggist and Apothecary, 87 Third st.

BOOKKEEPING.
ON MONDAY, THE 26TH INST., I intend opening a School for the purpose of Teaching Penmanship and Bookkeeping. With 21 years practical experience in some of the commercial houses in the United States, I flatter myself I am qualified to teach both branches satisfactorily.
My rooms are over the Drug Store of Mr. De Hart, corner of First and Jefferson streets.
TERMS PER QUARTER.
Bookkeeping - - - $20 00
Writing - - - 10 00
JOHN S. KENNEDY.
☞ Refer to the principal merchants and practical bookkeepers of the city. fe20 dtf

Dissolution of Partnership.
THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing, under the style and title of Straus & Isaacs, is hereby, by mutual consent, this day dissolved.
M. Straus is authorized to settle all claims for and against this branch of the establishment, and Joseph Isaacs is authorized to settle all claims in California.
Those persons knowing themselves indebted to the above firm, will please call and settle.
MARK STRAUS.
JOSEPH ISAACS.

Coal! Coal!! Coal!!!
WE HAVE FITTED UP A YARD and office on the corner of Washington and Preston streets, for the accommodation of those who may wish to be supplied with the best Pittsburg Coal. Major Jack Downing is always ready to accommodate customers. Please give him a call at the corner of Washington and Preston.
We also intend keeping on hand Nut Coal, which is equal to any ever brought to this market for blacksmithing, (the same they use in Pittsburg,) at two cents less than the coarser quality.
ELI F. LEEZER & CO.
W. W. HOWARD.
At the office on Market street, between Sixth and Seventh. fe21 dtf

Vocal Music and
MADAME ABLAMOWICZ REsides now permanently in the city, and teaches at her rooms, Fifth [illegible]

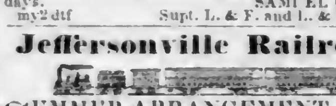
TRANSPORTATION.

Louisville and Frankfort,
AND LEXINGTON & FRANFORT
RAILROADS.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT FOR 1855.

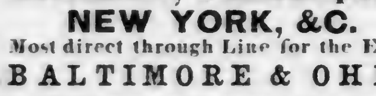
ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 7, 1855, the Passenger Trains will run as follows:
Leave Louisville at 6:30, A. M.; arrive at Lexington at 11:5 A. M.
Leave Louisville at 2:30 P. M.; arrive at Lexington at 7:30 P. M.
Leave Lexington at 5:20 A. M.; arrive at Louisville at 10:30 A. M.
Leave Lexington at 2:15 P. M; arrive at Louisville at 7:10 P. M.
Stages leave Lexington daily (Sundays excepted) after dinner for Harrodsburg, Danville, Crab Orchard, Stanford, Lancaster, and Richmond. Stages for Winchester, Mt. Sterling, and Owingsville, leave after dinner. Stages to Maysville connect at Paris, with the evening train of the Covington and Lexington Railroad. Four dollars to Cincinnati, via Frankfort, Lexington, Paris, and Cynthiana. Through tickets will be sold to Cincinnati for four dollars, which tickets will be good for two days, with the privilege of stopping at Paris, Lexington, Frankfort, and Cynthiana, within the two days. SAMUEL GILL,
my2 dtf Supt. L. & F. and L. & F. R. R.

Jeffersonville Railroad.



SUMMER ARRANGEMENT. FOR Indianapolis, Chicago, and Cincinnati.
On and after Monday, April 30th, trains will run as follows:
Leave Jeffersonville (opposite Louisville) for Indianapolis and Chicago at 6.15 A. M., and 2.30 P. M.; for Cincinnati at 8.45 A. M., and 3.50 P. M.
These trains connect at Indianapolis and Cincinnati with all the trains for the North and East. Tickets can be had at the office, 535 Main street.
ap27 dtf A. P. OSBORNE, Sup't.

FOR WASHINGTON CITY,
Baltimore, Philadelphia,
NEW YORK, &C.
Most direct through Line for the East.
BALTIMORE & OHIO



RAILROAD!

THIS GREAT WORK OF INTERnal improvement (379 miles from Wheeling to Baltimore, and 403 to Washington,) was opened to the Ohio river in January, 1853, and has now been fully tested and approved, both as a freight and passenger route. This road is located in a romantic country, is solidly constructed, fully equipped, and carefully managed, and is thus rendered an attractive as well as a safe line for travelers. The late completion of the Central Ohio Road, from Columbus to the Ohio river, near Wheeling, adds greatly to the importance of this route, offering, as it does, the most thorough Railroad connection with the entire West.

☞ THE ONLY THROUGH TICKETS BETWEEN LOUISVILLE AND THE NATIONAL METROPOLIS are sold by this road, which runs direct to Washington without the delay of passing through Baltimore. It is also the only line by which baggage can be checked to Washington from the West. At Baltimore the road makes a direct connection with the Railroad to Philadelphia and New York, &c.

Passengers going East from Louisville, may proceed by steamboat to Cincinnati, and there take the Railroad to connect with this line, or may leave Louisville by the Jeffersonville Railroad direct.

The Mail Steamers leave Louisville daily for Cincinnati, where they arrive so as to connect with the cars of the Little Miami Railroad at A. M. (or 5 P. M.,) for Columbus, connecting there with Central Ohio Railroad, through Newark and Zanesville to Bellair, on the Ohio, opposite Benwood station, 4 miles below Wheeling. At this place the connection with the B. and O. Railroad is made direct. By express train of this route, the time from Cincinnati to Baltimore is less than 28 hours, and to Washington less than 58 hours.

THROUGH TICKETS are sold as follows: By mail steamers to Cincinnati, from Louisville to Washington, $18; to Baltimore, $17; to Philadelphia, $18; and to New York, $20 50. To be had of F. CARTER, Ticket Agent, at Southeast corner of Third and Water streets, Louisville.

☞ Be sure to ask for Tickets by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad route.

THROUGH TICKETS may also be had at the office of the Jeffersonville Railroad, for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad route, by way of the Jeffersonville, Ohio, and Mississippi, Little Miami, and Central Ohio Railroad, at the following rates: From Louisville to Washington, $18 50; to Baltimore, $17 50; to Philadelphia, $18 50; to New York, $21.

At WHEELING or Benwood the passenger takes the superior cars of the B. and O. Railroad, which leave daily—at 5 P. M., and 11:45 P. M., for Baltimore, Washington, (or Philadelphia,) by close connection, arriving there in 16 or 17 hours, including stoppages. For safety, speed, regularity, beauty of the country, and general comfort, this road is second to none in the Union.

FREIGHTS.—With the largest equipment of any Railroad in the United States, the company is prepared to do an immense business in the transportation of freights, which are carried with care and dispatch, and at rates as low as those of any other first class line.—The road makes immediate connection at the wharves and in the streets of Baltimore, with the Railroad to Philadelphia and New York, steamers of Ericsson and Baltimore Steamship Company's lines, by canal and sea, to New York and Boston, steamers to Norfolk, Charleston, Savannah, &c.

For particulars, see freight tariff, copies of which may be had of any of the Forwarding Houses in the West.
JOHN H. DONE,
fe19 Master of Transportation, Baltimore.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

LITTLE MIAMI
AND COLUMBUS AND XENIA
RAILROAD.

PASSENGERS BY THE 6 O'CL'K A. M. Train, Little Miami and Columbus and Xenia Railroad, breakfast at Cincinnati and dine the following day in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, or Washington City.

From Cincinnati to
NEW YORK in 32½ hours;
PHILADELPHIA in 31½ hours;
BALTIMORE in 28 hours;
BUFFALO in 18½ hours;
DUNKIRK in 15 hours;
CLEVELAND in 9½ hours;
SANDUSKY in 8½ hours;
PITTSBURG in 11 hours;
WHEELING in 10½ hours.

FIVE DAILY TRAINS.

FIRST TRAIN.—Cleveland and Pittsburg, and Wheeling Lightning Express at 6 o'clock A. M., for Columbus, Cleveland, Dunkirk, Buffalo, Albany, New York and Boston; Crestline, Pittsburg, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York; Zanesville, Wheeling, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, Washington City, &c.; connects to Sandusky, also at Xenia to Yellow Springs and Springfield.

SECOND TRAIN.—Cleveland and Pittsburg accommodation Express at 8 o'clock A. M., for Columbus, Cleveland, Dunkirk, Buffalo, Albany, New York and Boston; Crestline, Pittsburg, Circleville and Lancaster; connects to Sandusky.

THIRD TRAIN.—Wheeling Express at 12:15 o'clock (noon), for Columbus, Zanesville, Wheeling, Baltimore, Washington City, Philadelphia and New York.

FOURTH TRAIN.—Accommodation at 3 P. M., for Circleville and Lancaster, Blanchester and Chillicothe, and Hillsborough.

FIFTH TRAIN.—Cleveland and Pittsburg Night Express at 5 P. M., for Columbus, Cleveland, Dunkirk, Buffalo, Albany, New York and Boston; Crestline, Pittsburg, Philadelphia and New York, connecting at Xenia to Yellow Springs and Springfield.

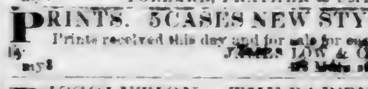
☞ One train on Sunday at 2:30 P. M., for Columbus.
Trains run by Columbus time, 7 minutes faster than Cincinnati.

FARE AND THROUGH TICKETS.

For prices of fare, through tickets and all information, please apply at the Company's new office, No. 25 West side of Walnut street, between Fifth and Sixth, six doors South of the U. S. Hotel, or at the old established General Railroad Office, in the large yellow three story building, Southeast corner of Broadway and Front streets, directly opposite the Spencer House, Railroad Hotel and mail boat landing, or at the Eastern (Little Miami) Depot, East Front street.
WM. H. CLEMENT, Sup't.
P. W. STRADER, General Agent.

THE OMNIBUS LINE
Calls for passengers at all the principal hotels; and by leaving directions at the offices as above, will make private calls in any part of the city. [j31

Vincennes and Evansville Express.



THROUGH BY RAILROAD.

THE ADAMS' EXPRESS COMP'Y are dispatching Messengers daily through, by Railroad, to Vincennes and Evansville. Indiana Merchants, Bankers and Citizens, will find this the quickest and cheapest mode of transmitting light Freight, Parcels, Bank Notes or Coin.
Express leaves daily at 6½ A. M.
Freight received the in evening previous to 7 P. M.
S. A. JONES, Agent,
ja8 d6m Office 545 Main street.

BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S HATS. Every variety of boys' and children's hats at very low prices.
my7 POLLARD, PRATHER & SMITH.

PRINTS. 5 CASES NEW STYLES Prints received this day and for sale for cash only by [illegible]
my8 [illegible]

DISSOLUTION. THE PARTNERship heretofore existing, under the firm of RANNEY & GOBIN, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the firm will be settled by Wm. Ranney, who is alone authorized to use the name of the firm in the liquidation and settlement of the firm business, and sale of the goods.
WILLIS RANNEY,
HENRY F. GOBIN.
Louisville, March 3, 1855. mr5 d3m

FOREIGN WINES AND LIQUORS.
10 qr casks, various brands, Cognac Brandy;
1 pipe pure Holland Gin;
1 do Scotch Whisky;
15 qr casks Howard, March & Co.'s superior Madeira Wines;
8 do Sicily Wines;
6 do Sweet and Dry Malaga Wines;
6 do Fine Old Port Wines;
4 do Fine Sherry Wines, for sale by
fe21 [illegible]

NEW WORKS. THE RAG-BAG, A Collection of Ephemera; by N. P. Willis. This volume is a selection from the articles written for the Home Journal, of which the author is one of the editors.
Kate Aylesford, a story of the Refugees; by Charles J. Peterson.
Ingenue, or the First Days of Blood; by Alexandre Dumas.
The Slave of the Lamp, a posthumous novel; by Wm. North.
All for sale at F. MADDEN'S,
my8 101 Third street.

SUGAR. 50 HHDS PRIME SUGAR and 10 tierces refined for sale by
my7 TRUSTIN & ELY.

JEWELRY.

RAMSEY & BRO., DEALERS IN Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, No. 83 Fourth street, between Main and Market, Louisville, Ky., invite attention to their well-selected stock of Gold and Silver Watches, of every variety of quality and price.
FASHIONABLE JEWELRY—Diamond Pins, Drops, and Rings; Cameo, Mosaic, Gold-stone, Enameled, Carbuncle, Plain, and Miniature Pins, Drops, and Rings; Bracelets, Bands, Seals, and Charms; Guard, Vest, and Fob Chains; Chatelaines, Lockets, sets of Jewelry, Coral and Jet Goods, Gold Pens, Spectacles, Penknives, Scissors, Thimbles, Needles, Keys, &c.
SILVER WARE—Spoons, Forks, Knives, Goblets, Cups, Jewels, &c.
PLATED WARE—Baskets, Waiters, Spoons, Forks, Tea Sets, &c.
☞ Clocks always on hand—the largest assortment in the city, wholesale and retail.
☞ Our Watchmaker, Mr. J. R. Esterle, known as the oldest and best in the city, is always at his post.
☞ Particular attention given to the repairing of Clocks, Jewelry, and Silver Ware. my10

JEWELRY.
WILLIAM KENDRICK WOULD respectfully call attention to his stock of beautiful SILVERWARE, such as—
CASTORS, warranted solid, COFFEE URNS, TEA SETTS, PITCHERS, GOBLETS, CUPS, FORKS, SPOONS, &c.
WATCHES.
Gold and Silver, of many varieties, such as Chronometers, Duplex, Lever, Anchor, and Cylinder; Magic, Hunting, and other styles of casing, many of which are made and cased to special order.
CHAINS, SEALS, AND KEYS; PEARL SETTS OF NECKLACE, EAR RINGS, AND PINS; DIAMOND BRACELETS, EAR RINGS, PINS, AND RINGS; MOSAIC AND CAMEO EAR RINGS, PINS, & BRACELETS.
In a word, a general assortment of articles in my line are offered on fair terms at my place of business, No. 71 Third street, between Main and Market, Louisville. my7

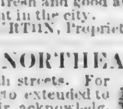
NEW JEWELRY. I AM RECEIVING nearly every week, direct from the manufacturers, the latest styles of Jewelry. I have now on hand, by recent arrivals, in part, Diamond, Mosaic, Cameo, Enameled, Gold Fruit, &c., Setts, or Pins; Ear Rings or Bracelets separate; as well as a general assortment of Jewelry, all warranted as represented.
my7 WM. KENDRICK, 71 Third street.

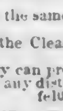
Michot & Brother,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
Watches, Jewelry, etc., etc.,
DIRECT IMPORTERS FROM GENEVA, Main street, three doors above Fourth, in Jacob's Buildings, beg leave to call public attention to their unrivaled assortment of Watches and Jewelry, just received and opened, direct from Geneva, where the whole stock was selected by one of the firm.
Fine Regulators, for hotels, banking houses, or any other offices, at moderate prices.
Watch Glasses, Materials and Tools for Watchmakers, at New York prices.
Watches directly imported from our own manufactory in Geneva, wholesale and retail, at New York prices.
Watch cleaning and repairing done with neatness and dispatch.
The latest styles and patterns of Jewelry, &c., received every week.
☞ We invite the ladies to call and examine for themselves. No trouble to show goods. All our goods warranted or no sale. feb20 dtf

J. Hirschbuhl,
NO. 66 THIRD STREET, WEST side, dealer in Watches and Clocks. Having been several years engaged in the business, it is scarcely necessary for the subscriber to recommend himself to public favor.
He claims to have a thorough knowledge of his trade, and warrants his work. He has a fine stock on hand, comprising jeweled Watches, Clocks, and a most extensive assortment of Watch Chains, Guards, Seals, Breastpins, Brooches, &c.
Mr. Hirschbuhl is a manufacturer of clocks and watches. He has devoted years of close attention and careful industry to his business, and he feels confident of his thorough ability to repair Clocks and Watches, and it will afford him pleasure to regulate the time-pieces of his customers.
N. B.—He has constantly on hand Odd Fellows' and Masons' REGALIAS, of every degree, plain or beautifully embroidered. The necessary Jewels are also kept on hand.
Inviting the public to call at his store, No. 66 Third street, west side, where he pays particular attention to watch repairing, he remains the public's humble servant.
ml7 J. HIRSCHBUHL.

James I. Lemon,
DEALER IN FINE WATCHES, Jewelry, and Silverware, 535 Main street, opposite Bank of Kentucky—Sign of the Golden Rose.
Fine Gold and Silver Watches, various prices;
Gold Guard, Fob, and Vest Chains;
Chatelaines, Charms, Seals, and Keys;
Ladies' Mosaic, Cameo, Pearl, and plain Gold Pins;
Mosaic, Cameo, and other new style Ear Rings;
Diamond Rings and Pins;
Mourning Jewelry for miniatures and hair;
Bracelets, Lockets, and Jet and Hair Jewelry;
Gold Spectacles, Thimbles, and Pencils;
Silver Spoons, Cups, Goblets, &c.;
Plated Ware of all kinds, very cheap;
Card Cases, Porte Monnaies, and Pocket Cutlery.
I am receiving new styles of Jewelry every few days, which make my stock very complete. I will be pleased to show my goods to those who will favor me with a call.
JAMES I. LEMON,
ap14 Main street, five doors above Third.

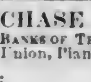
To Dealers in Jewelry and Watches.
I HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM the East with a most complete stock of Jewelry and Watches, of every description.
The stock is unsurpassed for quality and taste, and will be sold at the very lowest prices. Every article is warranted, and may be returned by buyers if they are not what they are represented to be.
Country Merchants are invited to inspect my assortment before purchasing elsewhere. I confine my business exclusively to the above articles, and have selected them in person, and will sell them low.
A. STEINAU, corner Fifth and Main sts.,
mr20 over Lichten, Loewenthal & Co.'s.

Burton's Exchange and Restaurant.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has just opened a Restaurant under his Hotel, (the "Oldham House,") on the north side of Market street, between Brook and Floyd, and is ready at all times to wait upon his customers.
My RESTAURANT is supplied constantly with fresh Shell Oysters from the East, which I am prepared to serve up in any style desired, at the low price of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER DOZEN—cheaper than any other establishment in this city.
My LARDER is also supplied with every description of Game, such as Squirrels, Partridges, Ducks, Snipe, &c. Having engaged the services of one of the very best and most experienced cooks in the west, I feel confident that I can gratify the taste of EVERY ONE.
Attached to the Restaurant is a neatly fitted up BAR, where the choicest Liquors, Cigars, &c., are always to be found.
☞ Families and parties supplied with Oysters, or anything in my line, at the shortest notice and on the most favorable terms.
☞ My Restaurant is kept open until 12 o'clock every night, and persons calling before that time can be accommodated with meals, &c.
☞ Remember that I sell Oysters at TWENTY-FIVE cents per dozen, which are just as fresh and good as can be found at any other establishment in the city.
no4 dtf J. T. BURTON, Proprietor.

CRYSTAL PALACE, NORTHEAST corner of Jefferson and Fifth streets. For the very liberal patronage hitherto extended to them, the proprietors renew their acknowledgments to the public, and assure them that no pains or expense will be spared to procure all articles in the line of their business, of the most superior quality, and such as will be approved of by the best connoisseurs.

A fine Lunch will be daily and regularly served, from 10½ o'clock, A. M. till 12 M.
We are just in receipt of 50 dozen of Wolfe's celebrated Schiedam Schnapps, and a lot of the Havana Cigars of different brands, besides old Brandies, Wines, &c., of various superior brands.
The Billiard Rooms, under the superintendence of our amiable and accommodating "Uncle George," are furnished with superior tables and every imaginable convenience.
The best Brandies, Wines, &c., can be obtained at the "Palace," ready bottled, and are especially recommended for medicinal purposes.
ja29 LUPE & HAMBRIGHT.

LEECHES. JUST RECEIVED, 1,000 Swedish Leeches, at No. 88 Third street, West side, between Market and Jefferson.
WILLIAM YOUNG offers his services to physicians and to the citizens of Louisville as Leecher, Cupper and Bleeder.
Mrs. Young will wait upon the ladies in the same line of business at No. 88 Third street.
Mr. Young also gives his attention to the Cleaning, Drawing and Filing of Teeth.
☞ Physicians and others in the country can procure Leeches, put up so as to carry them safely any distance, by applying as above. fe10 dtf

MUSICAL GOODS AT WHOLEsale. City and country merchants will find in our stock every variety of Musical Goods of our own importation, at lowest New York prices, viz:
Best English, French, and Italian Violin Strings; French and German Violins, at all prices; Guitars, Accordeons, Flutes, Banjos, Tamborines, Brass Instruments, Instruction Books, Bows Bridges, Screws, &c.
Our stock of Sheet Music is most complete.
mr19 WEBB, PETERS & CO., 109 Fourth st.

Music! Music!! Music!!!
HALLET & CUMSTON HAVE ONE of the finest stocks of Musical Merchandise in the West, to which they would call the attention of Musicians, promising to supply every call made upon them.

Instruments of every kind;
Strings of all classes;
New, fashionable, and Classic Music;
Violins of all kinds;
Pianos from the best makers;
Banjos, Tamborines, and Accordeons.
J. H. McCANN, Agent for Hallet & Cumston,
mr9 67 Third street, Louisville.

NOTICE. WE PURCHASE THE Notes of the following FREE BANKS OF TENNESSEE upon the same terms as we do the Union, Planters' and State Bank of Tennessee:
Commercial Bank, Memphis;
Bank of Tazewell, Tazewell;
Bank of Chattanooga, Chattanooga;
Bank of Claiborne, Claiborne;
Bank of Nashville, Nashville.
mr7 HUTCHINGS & CO., 457 Main street.

Sewing Machines.
WE ARE THE ONLY AUTHORized agents for the sale of Singer's Patent Perpendicular Action Straight Needle Sewing Machine.
We therefore warn all persons from buying or selling any of these Machines without consulting us, or they will be dealt with according to law.
de12 SMITH & WHALEY, Agents.

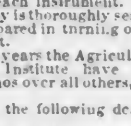
VERANDAHS! I HAVE JUST gotten up several new patterns for Verandahs and Balustrades, to which I would respectfully call the attention of those who are wanting this beautiful style of work. I have also several new styles of Window Guards, which may be had at the Iron Railing Works, on Green street, near Third.
oc27 dtf H. J. MEAD.

MEDICAL.

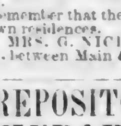
Hampton's Tincture at Home.
HERE IS ANOTHER CASE OF an astonishing cure effected in Louisville by the use of Hampton's Tincture and Ointment. The case is so well known to many citizens, that the preservation of the life and health of the gentleman named is considered a marvel and a wonder. Hear his own statement:
My friends express their astonishment at meeting me in the streets of Louisville, Jeffersonville, or New Albany, where my business calls me daily, knowing that I had suffered a thousand deaths from a complication of diseases of over twelve years standing—although I had the best medical aid, who had held several consultations over me, uniformly advising me that there were no possible hopes for me, I must prepare to die. I had not strength enough to bear one dose of medicine. At this stage of disease, numbers of my friends urged upon me to try Hampton's Tincture and Ointment. I concluded to do so, but without faith. I soon discovered an improvement, which, with the use of the medicine, continued until my health was entirely restored. I felt a little strength with which to do business, and ventured a little too far—fell into a deep cistern, bruising my body very much, and fracturing the bones of my legs. Again I commenced the use of the Tincture and Ointment, and in a few weeks found myself restored, free from bruises and fractured bones.
After experiencing the cures made on myself, for which I find no equal but in that solitary instance of Job of old—being, like him, covered from head to foot with grievous biles and running sores—it would be the height of vanity in me to pretend to give more than a bare glimmer of what I consider their value to an afflicted world; nor can I believe that the most ingenious painter of language, in his loftiest flights of imagination, could do justice to their merits and healing and restorative powers. They saved my life; I therefore feel bound, in justice to the medicine, in justice to myself, and in justice to an afflicted world, to make this statement and certificate.
JAMES B. HUGHES,
ap23 d&wtf Louisville, Ky.

MANUFACTURES.

Louisville Window Shades.
MANUFACTURER'S DEPOT
On Jefferson street, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall.
T. P. ASHE, AGENT, WOULD RE-spectfully inform the ladies of Louisville, and citizens generally, that he has finally succeeded in obtaining a lease of the (above named) spacious store and house adjoining Mr. Dellart's Drug Store, and is extensively engaged in the manufacture of
Transparent Curtains!
For the foreign and domestic market. Having engaged some of the most talented artists in that line, would say he is fully prepared, at short notice, to execute any design, pattern, or copy he may be favored with, and trusts, with punctuality and attention to business, to merit that patronage which may enable him to support another new addition to
Louisville Manufacture!
☞ Sign and Ornamental Painting executed with neatness and dispatch.
☞ Masonic, Odd Fellows', and Societies Regalia painted to order in artistic style. ja25 dtf

PETERS, CRAGG & CO.'S
Piano Forte Manufactory,
Main street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth.
THE SUBSCRIBER BEGS LEAVE to call the attention of dealers, professors, and others, wishing to purchase piano fortes to the extensive assortment of their improved circular scale full iron frame instruments, now on hand and ready for finishing.

By the erection of a large additional factory building, they are prepared, should the wants of the trade demand it, to turn out seven instruments per week, or 350 Pianos per annum.
Buyers may rely upon getting instruments fully equal, in all the requisites of a good piano, to any made in the United States, and at a saving of from twenty-five to fifty dollars on each instrument. All the wood used in our manufactory is thoroughly seasoned, and no pains or expense are spared in turning out each piano perfect in every respect.
For two consecutive years the Agricultural Association and Mechanics' Institute have awarded first premiums to these pianos over all others, when in competition.
Reference is made to the following dealers, and the profession generally:
D. P. Faulds, (successor to Faulds, Stone & Morse,) Balmer and Weber, St. Louis; Curtis & Truan, Cincinnati; Diggins & Co., Nashville; Downing & Moody, Vicksburg; W. H. Fox, Natchez; Courts & Rutherford, Clarksville; Schaub & Murphy, Bardstown; Patrick & Croose, Lafayette; H. D. Hewitt & Co., New Orleans; Lee & Walker, Philadelphia. ja4

WIG MANUFACTORY,
NO. 85 FOURTH STREET, BET. Main and Market, the oldest stand in Louisville. Mrs. G. NICHOLAS invites the attention of her customers and others to her newly invented Ventilating Diamond Wigs.
These Wigs were invented by Richard Beck, of London, and made by one of the gentlemen in my establishment, who took the highest premium for the best Wig on exhibition at the Industrial Exhibition, London, in 1851. They are warranted not to shrink: (those who have worn Wigs know the greatest comfort in a Wig is in one that will not shrink AT ALL) besides, they are so close a resemblance to nature as to defy detection—and, to enable gentlemen to see the effect, a large assortment is kept on hand for inspection, any of which, if approved of, saves the purchaser both time and trouble, as these elegant specimens of Wigs cannot be found elsewhere. Also, a splendid assortment of Ladies' Wigs and Half Wigs, Braids and Curls, always on hand, and made to order on the shortest notice. Brushes, Perfumery, Gloves, and a general assortment of Fancy Goods, of the very latest importations.
P. S. Ladies will please remember that they can have their hair dressed at their own residences.
MRS. G. NICHOLAS,
85 Fourth street, between Main & Market.
D. F. HOGAN, Agent. a27

CARRIAGE REPOSITORY!
WM. P. SHEPARD,
CARRIAGE MANUFACTURER & Dealer, Second street, between Main and Water, opposite the Farmers' Tobacco Warehouse, Louisville, Ky.—The subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he has opened a Carriage Repository on Second street, near the Galt House, and will be ready in a few days to present to the trade, and to all persons in want of any description of Pleasure Carriages, a fine assortment of the best Eastern manufactured work, together with his own manufacture.

These Carriages, manufactured and purchased especially for this market, are equal in style, finish and durability, to any in the country. Buyers would serve themselves by inspecting my stock before purchasing.—They are made to order, and are bound to be sold very cheap for cash or first-rate negotiable business paper.
ap14 W. P. SHEPARD.

Eagle Foundry Warehouse.
STOVE AND GRATE EMPORIUM, No. 536, Northwest corner Main and Third streets, Louisville, Ky.
WALLACE, LITHGOW & CO. would respectfully call the attention of dealers in this market to their stock on hand for the fall trade.
We have added many new patterns of Stoves and Grates during the season, and our present list cannot be surpassed for beauty of design, high finish of casting, or adaptation to the wants of the kitchen or parlor—embracing, as it does, many improvements which our experience has pointed out.
We ask a call from all those desirous of making purchases in our line—manufacturing; and our prices will be found reasonable, and articles warranted what we represent them to be. Satisfaction to our customers in all cases. Give us a call.
se5 WALLACE, LITHGOW & CO.

Notice to the Ladies.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING concluded to continue the business, is now prepared to receive orders from her old customers, and ladies in general, at her old stand, No. 112, west side of Fourth street, between Market and Jefferson, where a new and well-selected stock of Ribbons, Flowers, Bonnets, and other articles in the Millinery line, are to be found, and her prices will be as moderate as possible. Her stock of Hair Work has been also replenished, and is now complete and very large.
Persons in want of any articles in this brand, can get them at nearly half price, comparatively with her former rates—for instance, wigs which were sold for $18, can now be got for $9; $5 back braids for $3 50; $5 front braids for $3 50; and so on with the same proportion on every other article in the Hair line.
☞ Call and see E. D. NICHOLAS,
West side of Fourth street,
ap7 d3m between Market and Jefferson streets.

Lumber! Doors! Sash!
WE KEEP THE LARGEST stock of Lumber and Shingles in the city. White and yellow Pine Flooring, at $20 to $50 per thousand.
Venitian Blinds, Mantel Pieces, Mouldings, Frames for doors and windows, Sash, (primed and glazed,) Glass and Nails, Putty and Painting.
Also, Dressed Shelving, Architraves, Washboards, and Weatherboarding.
Can do square and circular work of all kinds.
Boxes for Soap, Starch, Candles, Candies, &c.
☞ Printed bills of prices will be furnished, if desired.
fe23 J. N. BREEDEN & CO.

I CHALLENGE COMPETITION. Having secured the services of the best Venitian Blind Painter in the West, also, a well-known Artist in my shade department, I am prepared to fill all orders in a more workmanlike manner, and quicker than any other establishment in the city.
N. B.—Particular attention paid to furnishing Churches and Lodges, with neatness and dispatch. Also, a quantity of splendid show cases, all sizes, for sale low at the Star of the West Blind and Shade Factory, No. 68 Third street. Remember the number.
mr7 d3m S. KENDALL.

JAMES SOMMERVILLE,
Manufacturer and Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
STOVES, GRATES, AND CASTINGS,
Copper, Tin, and Sheet Iron Ware,
TEA KETTLES, SAD IRONS, COFFEE MILLS, SCALES, &c.,
South side Main, 3 doors above corner of Seventh, Louisville, Ky.,
JAMES SOMMERVILLE WOULD respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has opened a store at 367 Main street, where he will be pleased to see and accommodate all who may favor him with a call. He warrants his work to be as good as any made in the city. Terms reasonable.
N. B. Roofing and House Work in general done with neatness and dispatch mr10d6m

CHAS. C. GRAFF,
REPAIRER AND RENOVATOR OF FURNITURE AND CABINET-WARE,
Preston street, near Marshall, Louisville, Ky.,
THE UNDERSIGNED SOLICITS the patronage of the public in general. He has been engaged in the Cabinet Making business in the largest establishments in Louisville, for many years, and is prepared to undertake work in his line, and will perform to the satisfaction of all who may favor him with their patronage.
Second-hand Furniture re-polished, such as Pianos, Bureaus, Sofas, Wardrobes, and all kinds of Cabinet-ware.
☞ Varnishing done promptly to order.
He is also prepared to execute work, in his line, at the residences of those who may require his services.
The best of references can be given.
ap4 d6m CHARLES C. GRAFF.

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

SATURDAY, - - - MAY 12, 1855.

Philadelphia Municipal Election.

Overwhelming Defeat of the Know-Nothings—Progress of the great Reactionary Movement.

The Pennsylvanian thus announces the cheering intelligence:

The monster which was born in iniquity died in despair last night at eight o'clock, of a disease which has always killed traitors. Nursed by the spirit of fanaticism, its growth was as rapid as its death was inglorious. Proscription in its worst form ravaged the city for a year, and sought to drag down the intelligent, the honorable, and manly, from their high estate, to grovel in the mire which the secret order had created. Base in its conception, baser in its birth, and basest in its manhood, the Know-Nothing order struggled with a courage incited only by crime, and after a momentary frenzy, perished like all other ephemera, in the hour of its greatest strength. Who will hereafter doubt the patriotism and integrity of the high-minded citizens of Philadelphia? Men may be proscribed for their birth-place and religion for a season, but the sober second thought of the people, who esteem the rights of conscience and kindred too highly to let either perish, will speedily restore them to their constitutional privileges. The death of Know-Nothingism in the first year of its power should teach every other miscreant organization that the soil of liberty is not adapted to their perpetuity.

We congratulate the friends of civil and religious liberty, and of an honest administration of public affairs, on the result of the election yesterday. Jacob E. Hagert, for City Treasurer, and John Sherry, for City Commissioner, have both been elected by something like 500 majority. We have elected a clear majority of Common Council, and largely increased our strength in the Select branch. The people have determined that the rogues left in Council shall not plunder the treasury further without an exposure. This is, indeed, a glorious victory. Let our friends be watchful until the official returns are made, or they may yet be cheated out of their election by Know-Nothing return officers, who regard the oath they have sworn before the lodge as paramount to any other obligation which can be imposed upon them.

The Philadelphia Ledger (independent) says:

"The second annual election of the consolidated city was held yesterday. The contest was spirited, and the result rather curious. Last year, the American ticket carried nearly every ward in the city, electing nearly all the select and common council, the City Commissioner, the City Treasurer, Prison Inspectors, Board of Health, School Directors, &c., in nearly every ward. Yesterday, things were reversed again, and the 'Americans' have been beaten in fourteen wards out of the twenty-four. The Democrats and Reformers have carried eight of the eleven Select Council elected, and have elected thirty-eight of the Common Council, equally dividing that body between them and the Americans.

"The election for City Treasurer, and City Commissioner is close; but the figures show that Mr. Haggart, the Whig candidate for Treasurer, who received the support of the Democrats, is elected by a small majority—156—over Morton, the 'American' candidate. Mr. Sherry, the Democratic candidate for City Commissioner, is elected over Hill, (American,) by a majority of 144, supposing the figures to be strictly accurate. In so close a vote, the official count may make a material difference in the result. In the aggregate vote, which gives this result, the sixth precinct of the Twenty-first ward is not included.

"The votes for Guardians of the Poor, Health Officers, and School Directors were not counted when we went to press. They are believed to have gone much the same as the council ticket. The official count may make a difference."

The following, from the Pennsylvanian, needs no comment at our hands:

"The contest yesterday was close; the plundering Know-Nothings were defeated. The vile mercenaries of the Mayor, maddened with liquor, assailed some of the polls, twenty and thirty in a gang, and with revolvers in hand attempted to drive peaceable citizens away. They were desperate at the prospect of defeat, and used their maces without stint. Men were beaten by the ruffian officers in the most shameless manner, and were dragged off the ground bleeding and maimed. We trust that the citizens will bring the wretches to justice."

[From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, May 7th.]

Raising of the Propeller Niagara.

About twelve months since, Capt. Oliver Palmer, Marine Inspector of this city, invented an entire new principle for the construction of a steam wrecking pump, and built one of immense capacity to fully test the efficiency of his plan. Most of our experienced lake men were confident in his success, and it was predicted that when fully and fairly tried, the pump would be found to excel all that was expected of it. An opportunity has now been afforded for proving its capacity, and the result is such as was anticipated. Capt. Palmer proceeded up the lake a short time since, with his pump, to raise the propeller Niagara, which went ashore in Presque Isle Bay. When he reached the wreck he found her very badly off, her bottom materially injured, and about eight and a half feet water in her hold. He went to work without delay, and soon got his pump rigged and ready for the work. *In twenty-one minutes* after getting fairly to work, he succeeded in overcoming the leak, and taking out the water. This was done without the slightest interruption or difficulty, and the pump was found to work to a charm.

When raised, it was found that the Niagara, although much damaged, could be rapidly repaired. She had a hole two feet square knocked in her bottom, and made besides other leakages. When she went ashore, she was loaded with a full cargo of dry goods, groceries, and hardware. These were found to be considerably injured. The dry goods are damaged about sixty per cent., and out of thirty tons coffee, some two-thirds are spoiled.

Captain Palmer informs us that the ice was entirely gone out of Lake Huron three weeks ago.—St. Mary's river is now clear, and the North Star effected her passage up without any difficulty or detention. The steamer Michigan had made a trip from Detroit to Green Bay and back—each time with a full cargo. She brought a large load of fish on her return. There is still some little ice on the Straits, but not sufficient to afford any obstruction, or to occasion any detention of the vessels.

The entire success, and great efficiency of Capt. Palmer's new pump, as evinced in the present trial, is a matter upon which our lake marine may be congratulated. We learn that he is now engaged in building two more, of equal capacity with that used on the Niagara, or of which is to be located at Chicago, and the other at Montreal.

[Extracts from Dodsley's Annual Register for 1781, pp. 17 and 18.]

Benedict Arnold a Know-Nothing.

WHAT BENEDICT ARNOLD THOUGHT OF FOREIGNERS AND CATHOLICS—THE WHOLE AMERICAN CONGRESS OF THE REVOLUTION CATHOLICS.—His (Arnold's) first public measure (after his treason and escape) was the issuing of an address, directed to the inhabitants of America. * * * In this he repeats arguments of writers of the time, to show that the *treaty* with France was *not* then by any means *binding*. He equally attacks France and condemns the alliance; laments that the great interests of the country were dangerously sacrificed to the partial views of a proud, ancient, and crafty foe; regards her as too feeble to establish their independence; *charges her with being the enemy of the* PROTESTANT FAITH; and with fraudulently avowing an affection for the liberties of mankind, while she holds her native sons in vassalage and slavery. * * * * * *

This he followed by a proclamation, inscribed to "the officers and soldiers of the Continental army, who have the real interest of their country at heart, and who are determined no longer to *be the tools or dupes of Congress or of France*." * * He wished to lead a *chosen band of* AMERICANS to the attainment of peace, liberty, and *safety*, and with them to share in the glory of rescuing their NATIVE country from the *grasping hand of France*, as well as from the ambitious and interested views of a *desperate party* [that of Washington and Congress] *among themselves, who had already brought the Colonies to the very brink of destruction.* * * * He asked what America was now, but a land of widows, orphans, and beggars? Even their last stake, *religion*, he represented to be in such danger as to have no other security than what depended upon the exertions of the parent country for deliverance. In *proof* or illustration, he asserted a FACT *upon his own knowledge* [that is to say, a monstrous lie, great grandmother to the Know-Nothing Roorbacks of our day], viz.: that *he had lately seen their mean and profligate Congress at mass, for the soul of a Roman Catholic in Purgatory, and participating in the rites of the Church, against whose anti-Christian corruptions their pious ancestors would have witnessed with their blood.*

☞ An Irish laborer, says the N. Y. Christian Register, walked three miles, Monday evening, to procure a lantern and flag to warn an approaching train on the Western railroad, near Washington, of danger from a broken rail. The passengers made up a handsome purse for the faithful fellow, whose exertions had saved them from an awful catastrophe, and they did this, notwithstanding "the land of his birth." The transaction encourages the belief that humanity and gratitude are not the monopoly of any trade or race. An American could hardly have done better than this Hibernian.

The Contented Man.

BY WASHINGTON IRVING.

In the garden of the Tuilleries there is a sunny corner under the wall of a terrace which fronts the south. Along the wall is a row of benches commanding the view of the walks and avenues of the garden. The geniel nook is a place of great resort in the latter part of autumn, and in fine days in winter, as it seems to retain the flavor of departed summer. On a calm, bright morning, it is quite alive with nursery maids and their playful little charges. Hither also resort a number of ancient ladies and gentlemen, who, with laudable thrift in small pleasures and small expenses, for which the French are to be noted, come here to enjoy sunshine and save firewood. Here may often be seen some cavalier of the olden school, when the sunbeams have warmed his blood into something like a glow, fluttering about like a frostbitten moth thawed before the fire, putting forth a feeble show of gallantry among antiquated dames, and now and then eyeing the buxom nursery-maids with what might almost be mistaken for an air of libertinism.

Among the habitual frequenters of this place, I had often remarked an old gentleman, whose dress was decidedly anti-revolutional. He wore the three-cornered cocked hat of the *ancient regime;* his hair was frizzled over each ear into *ailes de pigeon*, a style strongly savoring of Bourbonism; and a *queue* stuck out behind, the loyalty of which was not to be disputed. His dress, though ancient, had an air of decayed gentility, and I observed that he took his snuff out of an elegant though old fashioned gold box. He appeared to be the most popular man on the walk. He had a compliment for every old lady, he kissed every child, and he patted every dog on the head; for children and little dogs are very important members of society in France. I must observe, however, that he seldom kissed a child without, at the same time, pinching the nursery-maid's cheek; a Frenchman of the old school never forgets his *devoirs* to the sex.

I had taken a liking to this old gentleman. There was an habitual expression of benevolence in his face, which I have very frequently remarked in these relics of the politer days of France. The constant interchange of these thousand little courtesies which imperceptibly sweeten life, have a happy effect on the features, and spread a mellow-evening charm over the wrinkles of old age.

When there is a favorable predisposition one soon forms a kind of tacit intimacy by often meeting on the same walks. Once or twice I accommodated him with a bench, after which we touched hats on passing each other: at length we got so far as to take a pinch of snuff together out of his box, which is equivalent to eating salt together in the East: from that time our acquaintance was established.

I now became his frequent companion in his morning promenades, and derived much amusement from his good humored remarks on men and things. One morning, as we were strolling through the alley of the Tuilleries, with the autumnal breeze whirling the yellow leaves about our path, my companion fell into a peculiarly communicative vein, and gave me several particulars of his history. He had once been wealthy, and possessed of a fine estate in the country, and a noble hotel in Paris, but the revolution, which effected so many disastrous changes, stripped him of everything. He was secretly denounced by his own steward during a sanguinary period of the revolution, and a number of the bloodhounds of the convention was sent to arrest him. He received private intelligence of their approach in time to effect his escape. He landed in England without money or friends, but considered himself singularly fortunate in having his head upon his shoulders; several of his neighbors having been guillotined as a punishment for being rich.

When he reached London he had but a *louis* in his pocket, and no prospect of getting another. He ate a solitary dinner of beef steak, and was almost poisoned by port wine, which, from its color, he had mistaken for claret. The dingy look of the chop house, and of the little mahogany-colored box in which he ate his dinner, contrasted sadly with the gay saloons of Paris. Everything looked gloomy and disheartening. Poverty stared him in the face; he turned over the few shillings he had of change; did not know what was to become of him—and went to the theatre.

He took his seat in the pit, listened attentively to a tragedy, which seemed made up of fighting, and stabbing, and scene-shifting, and began to feel his spirits sinking within him; when casting his eyes into the orchestra, what was his surprise to recognize an old friend and near neighbor in the very act of extorting music from a huge violincello.

As soon as the evening's performance was over, he tapped his friend on the shoulder; they kissed each other on the cheek, and the musician took him home and shared his lodgings with him. He learned music as an accomplishment; by his friend's advice he now turned it as a means of support. He procured a violin, offered himself for the orchestra, was received, and again considered himself one of the most fortunate men upon earth.

Here, therefore, he lived for many years during the ascendency of Napoleon. He found several emigrants living like himself, by the exercise of their talents. They associated together, talked of France and of old times, and endeavored to keep up a semblance of Parisian life in the centre of London.

They dined at a miserable cheap French restaurant in the neighborhood of Leicester Square, where they were served with a caricature of French cookery. They took their promenade in St. James' Park, and endeavored to fancy it the Tuilleries; in short, they made shift to accommodate themselves to everything but an English Sunday. Indeed, the old gentleman seemed to have nothing to say against the English, whom he affirmed to be *braves gens;* and he mingled so much among them that at the end of twenty years he could speak their language almost well enough to be under-stood.

The downfall of Napoleon was another epoch in his life. He had considered himself a fortunate man to make his escape penniless out of France, and he considered himself fortunate to return penniless into it. It is true that he found his Parisian hotel had passed through several hands during the vicissitudes of the times so as to be beyond the reach of recovery; but then he had been noticed benignantly by government, and had a pension of several hundred francs, upon which, with careful management, he lived independently, and as far as I could judge, happily.

As his once splendid hotel was now occupied as a *hotel garni*, he hired a small chamber in the attic; "it was but," as he said, "changing his bedroom up two pair of stairs—he was still in his own house." His room was decorated with pictures of several beauties of former times, with whom he professed to have been on favorable terms; among them was a favorite opera dancer, who had been the admiration of Paris at the breaking out of the revolution. She had been a *protege* of my friend, and one of the few of his youthful favorites who had survived the lapse of time and its various vicissitudes. They had renewed their acquaintance, and she now and then visited him: but the beautiful Psyche, once the fashion of the day and the idol of the *parterre*, was now a shriveled, little old woman, warped in the back, and with a hooked nose.

The old gentleman was a devout attendant upon the levees; he was most zealous in his loyalty, and could not speak of the royal family without a burst of enthusiasm, for he still felt toward them as his companions in exile. As to his poverty, he made light of it, and, indeed, had a good-humored way of consoling himself for every cross and privation. If he had lost his chateau in the country, he had half a dozen royal palaces, as it were, at his command. He had Versailles and St. Cloud for his country resorts, and the shady alleys of the Tuilleries and the Luxembourg for his own recreation. Thus all his promenades and relaxations were magnificent, yet costing nothing.

"When I walk through these fine gardens," said he, "I have only to fancy myself the owner of them, and they are mine. All these gay crowds are my visitors, and I defy the grand seignor himself to display a greater variety of beauty. Nay, what is better, I have not the trouble of entertaining them. My estate is a perfect *Sans Souci*, where every one does as he pleases, and no one troubles the owner. All Paris is my theatre and presents me a continued spectacle. I have a table spread for me in every street, and thousands of waiters ready to fly at my bidding. When my servants have waited upon me, I pay them, discharge them, and there's an end; I have no fears of them wronging or pilfering me when my back is turned. Upon the whole," continued the old gentleman, with a smile of infinite good humor, "when I think upon the various risks I have run, and the manner in which I have escaped them; when I recollect all that I have suffered, and consider all that I at present enjoy, I cannot but look upon myself as a man of singular good fortune."

Such was the brief history of this practical philosopher, and is the picture of many a Frenchman ruined by the revolution. The French appear to have a greater facility than most men in accommodating themselves to the reverses of life, and of extracting honey out of the bitter things of this world. The first shock of calamity is apt to overwhelm them; but when it is once past, their natural buoyancy of feeling soon brings them to the surface. This may be called the result of levity of character, but it answers the end of reconciling us to misfortune, and if it be not true philosophy, it is something almost as efficacious. Ever since I have heard the story of my little Frenchman, I have treasured it up in my heart; and I thank my stars, I have at length found what I have long considered as not to be found on earth—A CONTENTED MAN.

P. S.—There is no calculating on human happiness. Since writing the foregoing, the law of indemnity has been passed, and my friend restored to a great part of his fortune. I was absent from Paris at the time, but on my return hastened to congratulate him. I found him magnificently lodged on the first floor of his hotel. I was ushered, by a servant in livery, through splendid saloons, to a cabinet richly furnished, where I found my little Frenchman reclining on a couch. He received me with his usual cordiality; but I saw the gayety and benevolence of his countenance had fled; he had an eye of care and anxiety.

I congratulated him on his good fortune.—"Good fortune!" echoed he; "bah! I have been plundered of a princely fortune, and they give me a pittance as an indemnity."

Alas! I found my late poor and contented friend one of the richest and most miserable men in Paris. Instead of rejoicing in the ample competency restored to him, he is daily repining at the superfluity withheld. He no longer wanders in happy idleness about Paris, but is a repining attendant in the antechambers of ministers. His loyalty has evaporated with his gayety, he screws his mouth when the Bourbons are mentioned, and even shrugs his shoulders when he hears the praise of the king. In a word, he is one of the many philosophers undone by the law of indemnity, and his case is desperate, for I doubt whether even another reverse of fortune, which should restore him to poverty, could make him again a happy man.

A WIFE'S DEVOTION.

BY GEORGE S. RAYMOND.

The long and desperate struggle which had for years been carried on between the Imperial Government of Brazil and the revolted southern provinces was drawing to a close; and I, who for nearly five years had been almost constantly on the wing, or what amounted to about the same thing, on horseback, in the patriotic service, was on my way to join my little Brazilian wife, to whom I had been united some five months previously, and from whose side I had been summoned within three hours after our marriage to lead my command against a body of Don Pedro Segundo's LANCEIROS, who were committing depredations in the neighborhood.

I had been severely wounded in the side and shoulder, and what with the exposure in our wild, uncomfortable camp, the entire lack of proper medical and surgical skill, and the slow fever which had for three weeks been consuming me—my iron constitution had given way at last, and I was as near dead as a man could well be, and maintain his seat in his saddle.

My home, or rather that of my wife, was on the banks of the beautiful Uruguay, on the extreme western limits of the Brazilian Empire, and my way thither led across the serried peaks and through the wild passes of the Southern Brazilian Andes, a region swarming with every species of wild beasts, fierce savages, murderous banditti, who killed for mere pastime, and bands of Imperial troops, more savage than brutes, Indians, or robbers.

Pleasant, very—don't you think it was?—for an invalid, scarcely able to keep his seat in the saddle, and accompanied by only two negro slaves possessing but little more sense or reason than the horses they guided.

Seven long tedious days went by, and I had struggled on, thus far without coming in contact with wild beast, savages, robbers, or Imperial soldiers, to within fifteen leagues of my journey's end; when my overstaked energies could bear me up no longer, and dispatching the most intelligent of my servants to apprise my wife and her family of my situation, I lay down under the shelter of a shelving rock in one of the most rugged, desolate mountain passes I had ever seen, with but slight hopes of surviving till aid should arrive from my friends on the Uruguay.

It was near noon when the negro departed on his mission, and as I had promised him freedom and ten ounces in gold if he reached my wife's home that night, I knew he would not lose a moment, and I might expect relief before night next day, provided I lived till that time; which did not seen very probable, as within two hours I was half delirious. The hot blood driven to the extremities by the raging fever seemed like leaping liquid currents of fire; while my very vitals appeared to scorch and crisp with the subtle heat; and my whole frame was racked with the most exquisite torture.

Twenty times during the afternoon, I had sent the remaining slave to the stream which wound along the bottom of the ravine, for water to slake my burning thirst.

The sun was perhaps an hour above the horizon, when I was suddenly surrounded by a band of some twenty ferocious-looking brigands, who were traversing the mountain pass to the westward in pursuit of a train of mules loaded with merchandise that had preceded them but the day previous.

I had nothing about me to tempt the robbers' cupidity. As they were rather partial to the revolutionary party, whose uniform I wore, they offered me no violence, and one of them even brought me a gourd of water; for my slave had fled at the approach of the brigands, and I never saw him afterwards.

But all my entreaties, prayers, and promises of reward were unheeded. I could not prevail on them to assist me forward, nor upon any one of them to remain with me until my friends should arrive. They were intent only upon the capture and plunder of the mules, and so they departed, leaving me there alone, sick and dying, in that wild desolate mountain pass.

My scanty supply of water was soon exhausted, and I was raving mad with intolerable thirst. In my frenzy, I tore the bandages from my half closed wounds, beat my head against the rocky fragments that formed my bed, and O! how I prayed for death.

There I lay all that long, horrid night, till it was daylight again; and then I sank into a death-like torpor, from which I was aroused by a heavy weight pressing on my chest, and my first glance as I opened my eyes fell upon the well-remembered features of the deadliest enemy I had on earth—Col. Martinus Arcola, of the Imperial army of Brazil.

"By the Cross! we are well met, Senor Raymondo," spoke the brutal ruffian, with his booted heel crashing into my throat till my eyes seemed bursting from their sockets, and my black, swollen tongue protruded from my mouth, and the wretch laughed in derision of my terrible agony, as he continued:

"We are well met, I say, Senor Raymondo, and I doubt not your beautiful bride—the lady Inez, of whom you robbed me, will be very grateful when I tell her how faithful I watched over you in your last moments. Come, my men! this gallant officer must needs be somewhat chilly: gather a good supply of dry brushwood, and we will try what effect fire will have on the disease that seems to be wasting him."

Fifty bronze-faced ruffians set about obeying their commander's order, and then after five minutes had elapsed, and I was placed, all helpless as I was, on a huge pile of dry branches, I understood it all. The infernal fiend was about to burn me there alive!

I would not ask my life of the demon, for well I knew that it would be unavailing. But, O God! may I never again suffer such mental torture as I did while lying there surrounded by those devils in human shape, as I thought of all the heart-agony that my wife must suffer when the revolting details of my dreadful death should become known to her.

Once I turned my head towards the west to catch a glimpse at the setting sun, and the next moment I was insensible.

It was not long that I remained thus; for I was aroused again by the quick rattle of pistol shots, the clash of steel, the wild battle-shouts and dying screams of strong men in their last horrid death-agony.

All around me I beheld a vision of gallant men, led on by a slight girlish figure in the light blue frock, gold embroidered vest, and plumed cap of the southern GAUCHAS, who, mounted upon a superb horse, black as night, sped here and there, shouting our battle-cry of "*Mueron Los Imperialistos*," in which she was joined by her hundred followers, who hurled themselves upon the doomed ruffians in a whirlwind of gleaming steel.

The last wretch was slain, and the lovely woman knelt beside me; her arms were about my neck, her warm kiss was upon my neck, as she breathed in a gentle tone the words: "*My Husband!*".

It was my wife—my own Angel Inez. She had ridden on in advance of more than four hundred men with only a hundred who could keep pace with her, and—I was saved.

UPSIDE DOWN.

Bob, who, as 'prentice to a draper,
To read had never learned;
He thought he would peruse the paper,
Which wrong side up he turned,
Come Thomas, and look here, said he,
Addressing a poor clown,
There's been a mighty storm at sea,
The ships are *upside down*.

☞ Peach trees are greatly benefited by a heavy mulching of straw around the roots. I build a pen, say four rails high, around each bearing tree, fill these with straw, and if fowls are plenty, pile on brush, to prevent their scratching out the straw. I have one large tree, planted 12 years ago, that has long since been treated in this way, and it is as vigorous as ever.

☞ Set your tomato plants early, and tend them well till the fruit begins to set, then cover the ground complete with short straw, six or seven inches deep. This works admirably—the vines need no props, and will stand drouth remarkably.

☞ Widow Drizzle's husband lately died of cholera. In the midst of his most acute bodily pain, after the hand of death had touched him, and while writhing in agony, his gentle wife said to him, "Well, Mr. Drizzle, you needn't kick round so and wear the sheets all out, if you are dying."

☞ "Mother, I heard sissy swear." "What did she swear?" "Why she said she wasn't going to wear her darned stockings to church."

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SATURDAY, - - - MAY 12, 1855.

☞ We certainly think, that if a General Government cannot interfere to correct such a terrible condition of things, the people of the United States should not pay their money to maintain a General Government.—*Louisville Journal.*

If the authorities of Louisville could not prevent a desecration of the right of suffrage in this city with forty or fifty paid Policemen, any number of Magistrates, Constables, Sheriffs, etc., paid to keep the peace, and not only one Mayor, but two, how is the President to protect the right of suffrage in Kansas? What can he, at Washington, do, with thousands of resolute men, at a distance of thousands of miles? What could the whole military force of the United States do, scattered over a frontier, and at a score of voting places, hundreds of miles distant?

Let the editor of the Journal look at home. What was done in Kansas was done here, right under the editor's own nose. He professes to believe only a tenth of it, but he believes enough to meet the case. We have a Police hired at great expense to protect the peace of the city. They are paid by high taxes these hard times, and yet our citizens can't be protected in their dearest rights. They are, by violence, prevented from choosing their own civil officers. The government they have provided for their protection, and for which they pay, has failed to protect them. Should they continue to pay for such a government?

We should like to know the editor's opinion about paying our Police any longer. He demands of the Federal Government the performance of what is next to impossible, or he advises no supplies. Will he pay our City Government after its non-performance of what is practicable? i

Lawless men did no worse in Kansas than they did here and in Cincinnati; and if the city authorities could not prevent such deeds in their own midst, under their own eyes, surely the President cannot be expected to prevent similar outrages on our frontier.

We certainly have as much right to vote peaceably here as the people of Kansas have—and what means this furious zeal against Kansas outrages, and this tameness about the same sort of crimes at home?

☞ And most certainly the mass of the members of the American order, embodying, beyond all question, a large majority of the native-born population of our city, have as little toleration for outrages on the elective franchise as any party or class that exists among us. It were a foul libel on the character of our native-born citizens to assert the contrary.—*Louisville Journal.*

Well, if this be true, how happens it that so large a number of bullies could take the polls, and systematically keep them, not once but twice; and that this is done in behalf of a party that is organized secretly, and of course knows its members and its own policy? If the party were sufficiently opposed to such deeds as to be determined to prevent them, they might easily accomplish it. An outbreak might happen in spite of any party, but taking possession of the polls, not only in one ward, but in two, not temporarily, but for a whole day, cannot be done without preconcert and understanding.

Professions will not do. Any party can prevent its members from perpetrating such acts, if it is resolved to do it. Lawless men do n't act in this manner in the face of day, without they have, or think they have, a protecting power to screen them from the punishment due to such crimes.

Something more than professions are needed in a subject of this sort. Will the editor and his party see that they do not occur again—that this city shall not be disgraced again by such scenes as occurred on last Saturday? Will he pledge himself and his party, that next August will not witness a repetition of these scenes?

The Know-Nothing lodges are very energetic in what they desire to accomplish. If they abhor such deeds, as they say, what action will they take to protect the purity of the ballot-box here in Louisville? What cannot be punished may be easily prevented. Let 's have some assurance on this subject.

☞ The Know-Nothings of New York have been in session at Syracuse for some days, going through the delicate operation of nationalizing themselves — delicate operation, the Louisville Journal says it is, and outsiders may not know the *modus operandi*. Sam's secrets, however, are becoming but vulgar things, after all. They leak out, and bear the ear-marks of other humbugs. We shall soon know what Sam has done. The Abolitionists are looking on, slightly apprehensive that Sam may set up for himself after all they have done for him. They see that the Silver Greys and Webster men are inclined to cheat the South, if possible, by some pretext, and they don't like it. They fear that they may get cheated some themselves. The operation of converting black into a white appearance by painting and daubing is rather delicate, and a mistake may be fatal. They have the power to crush out the traitors to freedom, as they call these fellows, and they will to do it.

They fear only one party North, and that is the old Democratic party. With Sam's aid they have temporarily defeated this national party; and the only hope in the future is in the combination of the two organizations. When they look forward to the spoils, and feel the cherished desire of *ruling America*, the separation will be delicate and difficult, if not impossible.

☞ Many of the more respectable members of the Know-Nothing organization of this city, smarting under a sense of shame, in consequence of the atrocious conduct of the ruffians who disgraced this community by their outrageous conduct, at the recent election, are endeavoring to solace themselves with the idea that no part of the guilt rests on them. We think that will not be the judgment of a single impartial mind in reference to the matter.

They have incorporated into their order elements which have at all times deeply inflamed the passions of the people—a war of races and religions sects. Indeed, these are the chief, if not the only, elements of coherence in their party. All history and experience prove that deeds of violence and blood have invariably resulted from such causes, and the most superficial consideration could not have failed to warn every man of sense of the danger of so perilous an experiment as the formation of a political association on such a basis. But, however inconsiderately they may have embarked in it, the scandalous deeds perpetrated here and elsewhere have added another proof of the dangerous tendency of such organizations, and no man can excuse himself for being associated with it. He will be justly held responsible for all the crimes that may be committed in its name.

Moreover, it may be very pertinently asked if it is at all probable that the infamous miscreants, who perpetrated their deeds of blood and outrage in this city, on Saturday last, were impelled to this by any interest they felt in the political bearing of the issue of nativism or religious faith. We think there is no man of sense who will believe it. Then what other influence brought together these lawless violators of the peace of our city from all points of the compass to reinforce the bullies who already abounded in our midst? Is it to be supposed that they felt so strong a patriotic impulse as to come uninvited and at their own cost. This is a consideration that, we think, places the order in no enviable condition.

☞ An office-holding chap being asked how to contrived to hold office under successive administrations, replied "that administrations must be darned smart that could change oftener than he could."

☞ Why is the editor of the Louisville Journal concerned so much about mob law in Kansas and Missouri, whilst he can hardly be forced to a notice of mob law at elections here in Louisville? The mobites in Missouri are not as mean as those in Louisville. *They did n't whip a woman*, as the mob did here. On the contrary, they spared a man, partly, at least, because his wife was present.

Letter from New Orleans.

Summer Coming—Dull Times Ditto—Grand Balloon Excursion—Strike among the Printers.

NEW ORLEANS, May 5, '55.

EDS. DEMOCRAT: The unequalled drought we have had this spring, has at last had an interruption. We had a shower or two of rain, a day or two since, which washed the dust from the vegetation on which it had settled so blightingly, and now everything looks sweet and smiling, the the squares wearing their brightest green, and the gardens emitting their freshest odors. Still the weather is very warm; and soda fountains, awnings, fans, and summer linen are in full reign.

Business is dull—times very hard—provisions commanding famine prices at retail—and the levee, the great thermometer of our prosperity, begins to look comparatively bare.

The theatres are all closed except the Orleans, which will close in a week or so—and the hotels have plenty of room to spare, the "city" having failed a few days since, and being now in the Sheriff's possession. The health of the city, so far, is excellent—but the summer promises to be an unusually dull one.

Now I am going to tell you something I know you will scarcely believe, or any of my friends among your readers who know me; but it is a fact. Last Sunday I went up in a balloon, with Eugeno Godard, the famous French æronaut, who has been making ascensions here for several months past. Stimulated by the example of numerous friends, who had been with him up to Cloudland, and being desirous of a bird's-eye view of natnre, anyhow, I concluded to try it, having an invitation.

At ten minutes past six, we—that is, Godard, three others, one of whom was Mr. Starr Davis, well-known in Louisville, and myself, five in all—ascended from the yard of the tobacco warehouse, at the corner of Poydras and Baronne streets. [The balloon, I should observe, is a mammoth affair, holding 45,000 cubic feet of gas, and beautifully painted all over with allegorical pictures, and names of principal cities of Godard's aerial triumphs with the name "America," in largo letters. The party, ballast, provisions, and all, weighed about 1,500 pounds.] In going up, I felt a slight degree of nervousness, which left me in about ten minutes, when we had reached a height of ten thousand feet. I cannot pretend to give you all the incidents and excitements of the trip, which was the best Godard has made in America. We passed over the city in a northwest direction—over the swamp, and Lake Pontchartrain, the northern shore of which we reached at sundown, being able to see both shores of the lake, and the Rigolets all the time—and continued our journey "by the light of the moon," which was nearly full, over swamps, piney-woods, lakes, bayous, plantations and towns—the balloon undulating between attitudes of two thousand and fonrteen thousand feet.

We crossed the parishes of St. John the Baptist, Livingston, and St. Helena, in Louisiana, and the countries of Amite, Franklin, and Jefferson, in Mississippi, and landed in Claiborne county, in a cotton-field fifteen miles back of Port Gibson, at 1 o'clock in the morning. We plainly distinguished the farms, houses, and other objects, and until 9 o'clock, could hear the shouts and talk of the astonished country people, and the barking of their dogs. There were fleecy summer clouds floating along above us. Several times we entered the clouds, remaining in them till our clothes were quite damp, out of all view of the earth; and once we went 16,000 feet, or nearly three miles high, to where the air was chilly, and so rare that our blood hummed in our ears. This was far above the clouds, and the moonlight was so brilliant from the reflection of the vapor beneath, that I was able easily to read the smallest newspaper print. I shall not undertake to depict the grandeur of this scene, or the unalloyed pleasure I derived from the whole sublime journey. At an elevation of ten thousand feet over Lake Pontchartrain, we partook of a delicious supper—the clouds hovering close about us, and the roar of the white-capped waves beneath us, coming up with a solemn and thrilling effect. The great marvel of the journey was the diminished yet distinct appearance of everything, and the distinctness with which we could see the frogs, katydids, and night-birds, at ever so great a heighth.

Coming down in the field before mentioned, to find out where we were, the balloon refused to take us all up again; so three of us had to get out Davis, Mandnit, (the circus-performer, who went up beneath us in a swing,) and myself. Godard with his other passengers went on.

A negro who saw us land came running to us, and gave us all the information we desired. We were just three hundred and forty miles from New Orleans, by land and river travel; though only a hundred and sixty by the route we came. We had our own fun, (though it wasn't so very funny at the time,) with the planters thereabouts, who wouldn't let us have carriage or horses to go to Port Gibson, for love or money, nor would they accommodate us with rest till morning, though we were a well-dressed, decent-looking trio, and they proverbial for their hospitality. It was very plain, that they took us for lunatics or robbers, for we had no balloon or other evidence to back our assertion that we had left New Orleans on a few hours previously. Davis, at last, managed to get a seat in a buggy with an old negro, and Mandnit and I had to foot it till daylight, when we jumped into a brick wagon which overtook us, and jolted along in it till we met a barouche, which Davis, on reaching Port Gibson, had sent ont after us. Of course, as Dan Rice would say, we were "pum somekins" in Port Gibson and Grand Gulf, and on the steamer coming down the river.

All three of us had to swear to each other's assertions, in order to secure credulity, and Mandnit would clinch the thing occasionally by showing his spangles, beneath his outer dress, and knock skepticism cold by a somerset or two. Godard and his companion went on about thirty miles further, and landed near Cayuga, where the natives had never heard of a balloon, or seen a Frenchman; but as they had the balloon with them to show for their story, they secured politeness and attention. They were furnished a wagon, and went to Vicksburg, about twenty miles distant, where they took steamer for the city. Godard expects to visit the Western cities soon, and I recommend him to you as a "brick"—a man who manages his balloon as easily as you would a kitten in your lap. If he should offer to take you aloft, you will miss a most splendid thing if you back out.

The only thing worth particular attention is, that the printers in the offices of the "Associated Press"—the Delta, True Delta, Crescent, Bulletin, Bee, and Conrier—are on a strike, owing to the importation of a crowd of forty "rats," which arrived yesterday on the steamship Cahawba from New York. The striking printers are backed by a full treasury, and a good share of public sympathy, while tho publishers, though their papers look rather bad this morning, are confident of succeeding in their object, viz.: reducing wages twenty per cent; the imported hands, which were divided out among the six offices, being at work at the reduction. If the striking printers—the strike being universal—should stick together, they will succeed—for the forty "rats" are not half enongh to man the papers on which they are now at work. The proprietors have squads of police stationed near their offices, to keep the combative portion of the strikers in check. When the "rats" went to work, they were followed by crowds of boys, whooping and yelling, and imitating cats, after them. Altogether there is much excitement in the city about it, and I am unable to hazard a guess as to which side will conquer.

As ever, G.

BIRDS OF A FEATHER.—The Sir Francis Drake steamer sailed last week from Jersey with at least eighty emigrants for the Salt Lake! Never, perhaps, did drake swim in company with so many geese!

[From the Warsaw (Mo.) Democrat, May 3d.]

The Gold Mines on the Arkansas River —Their Locality, &c.

It is a well authenticated fact that a rich mine of gold has been discovered on a stream called the Red Fork of the Arkansas river, at the foot of the Ouachita mountains. Considerable excitement prevails in Southwest Missouri and Northwest Arkansas, and hundreds are already taking up the line of march for the new mines. We wish them success.

Having learned that great excitement was prevailing in Greene county, and the Southwest on the subject of the late discoveries of gold, we wrote a letter to A. F. Ingram, Esq., at Springfield, Mo., propounding various questions in relation to the mines—who discovered them, their locality, &c., &c., to which we received the following reply from that gentleman:

SPRINGFIELD, Greene county, Mo., April 28th, 1855.

MARK L. MEANS, Esq.: Yours of the 27th inst., propounding various interrogatories in relation to the "Gold Fever" here, and the cause of the excitement, etc., is just received.

Question 1st—"Who discovered the mines, and when?"

Answer—A company of seven men from Newton county, Mo., went out on a prospecting expedition last fall, and returned in the forepart of the winter, I believe, bringing specimens of gold which have been exhibited in Neosho, Mt. Vernon; and, we believe, some of our citizens who visited Neosho about two weeks ago, for the purpose of obtaining reliable information of the adventures in person, brought a specimen of the metal to this place. Two of the seven got off from the others in "prospecting," and returned home only a few days ago, one of them bringing home $2,000, and the other $3,000, which they "panned" out in a very short time, without anything to dig with.

The mines are said to be at or near the foot of the Ouachita (Wash-i-ta) mountains, on a stream called the Red Fork of the Arkansas River—about one hundred and fifty miles south of the road leading from our Western frontiers to Santa Fe.

Report says that the returned adventurers endeavored to keep the matter dark; but it leaked out. They, and all their relations, have, it is said, sold out and are fixing to return. The excitement at this place is as great (and it has only been up one week to-day,) as ever was the California, if not greater—some twenty or thirty persons will leave this county to-morrow. The excitement in the counties west of this is much greater than here.

The point fixed on for rendezvous is at some point on the Verdigris river, in the Chorokee Nation, where it is thought the number of adventurers will amount to 2,000 or 3,000. A gentleman just from Arkansas says the excitement is up in that State, or the north-west counties of it. I have been informed by persons who have resided at or near Fort Smith, Ark., that particles of gold have been frequently discovered in the bed of the Arkansas river, which has evidently been washed down from above.

Having been in the country the greater portion of the time for the past two weeks, I am not as well posted up as I, under other circumstances, might be. Very respectfully, your obedient servant.

A. F. INGRAM.

THE KILLING OF CAPTAIN G. K. LEWIS.—The Gonzales (Texas) Inquirer, publishes the following letter, addressed to the proprietors of that paper, by Dr. Parrington, who killed Captain Lewis at Corpus Christi. Yarrington formerly resided at Gonzales:

INDIANAPOLIS, April 17th, 1855.

DEAR SIR:—I drop you a line hastily, to inform you that I had the misfortune to kill Captain G. K. Lewis, at Corpus Christi, on the 14th inst. The reason was, he seduced Mrs. Yarrington from me and my children, and then added insult to injury by continually coming to my house, and, also, trying to steal my children from me, and trying to force from my possession certain lotters, which intercepted, addressed to my wife.

I have written the truth, so help me God.

Truly, your obedient servant,

J. T. YARRINGTON.

P. S.—I am in charge of the Sheriff, Mr. Graham; we are bound to Galvesten. I am free of all bonds.

THE MOB MASS MEETING AT WESTON, Mo.—The Platte (Mo.) Argus of the 1st inst., contains the following resolutions of a mass meeting held at Weston:

Resolved, 1. That self-defence requires the expulsion of every person bringing reproach upon negro slavery.

2. That robbers and traitors have no right to the protection of the law.

3. Ratifies the proceedings of the Parkville riots.

4. Approves the resolutions in regard to the Methodist preachers, adding thereto all mistakers, whose preaching is prejudicial to slavery.

5. That no arguments will be used against abolition papers, but the Missouri river, the bonfire and the hemp rope.

6. They pledge themselves to go to Kansas, and help expel those who are corrupting slaves.

7. Calls for a grand mass meeting at Parkville on the 5th inst.

A VISIT TO THE BATTLE-FIELDS.—A correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune, at Brownsville, writes:

"I have just returned from the battle grounds of Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma; but scarcely a vestige remains to denote these fields which redounded so much to the gallantry of our regular army. On the former field, a cannon ball is occasionally picked up, which is the only indication that it was ever used except for the peaceful purpose of grazing the larger herds which at present roam over it. At the Resaca de la Palma the faint outlines of the redoubt which the Mexicans occupied on the west bank of the Resaca are still visible, but so overgrown with brush and undergrowth they can scarcely be followed. One or two trees still show marks of the strife, and a few shreds of old shoes, and an occasional battered canteen, are also to be found in the chapparel; but there is naught else to show that here was the scene of one of the most closely contested fights of the war, where bayonets were often crossed, and where hand to hand fights were frequent, as tho scattered combatants met beneath the shade of the sweet-scented mimosa or amidst the tangled brushwood."

LOST COMPLETELY.—We gave an account, not long ago, of the efforts of one of our humane justices to save a beautiful girl who was convicted as a vagrant, some months since, under the assumed name of Emma Snow. He wrote to her father and received in reply so strong an appeal to rescue the girl from utter ruin, that the trial was made. She was sent to the workhouse, and in the meantime was visited by the justice, at the request of her father, and repeated promises obtained that she would certainly reform. Her penitential appearance, her tears, and the desire she evinced of once more returning to her home, induced her friend to believe he had accomplished something.

She was to call at his office at the expiration of the period for which she was committed, and receive some money for the proper replenishment of her wardrobe. She did so, and stated to the justice that she had found a respectable family who were willing to take her in, and to whom she was to offer her services as dress-maker for a short period till she got ready to go home. Furnished with a part of the means sent by her parent, she left the office, and a policeman was directed to follow her.

The girl took the shortest ronte to one of the foulest sinks of iniquity in the city, and in ten minutes was amid a crowd of the most abandoned of her sex. In less than three days after she was again arrested for swearing and disorderly conduct in the highway, and once more committed—her conduct and conversation proved her to be a perfect and complete moral wreck. She is not yet 17 years old, and will probably never see her home again. The result of this last effort to save the girl will be communicated to her father, and his money returned to him.—*Buffalo Commercial.*

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

FROM THE UNITED STATES.

Ships.	Leaves.	For.	Date.
Atlantic,	New York,	Liverpool,	" 16
Ariel,	New York,	Havre,	" 19
Asia,	Boston,	Liverpool,	" 23

FROM EUROPE.

Union,	Havre, &c.,	New York,	" 9
North Star,	Havre,	New York,	" 19

☞ We copy the following items from the Cynthiana News of the 10th.

Mr. Silas Marshall, of this county, while engaged in clearing a piece of ground, was instantly killed on last Friday by the falling of a tree. Mr. Marshall was an estimable citizen, and was a volunteer in the Mexican war. He was at the taking of the city of Mexico. He leaves a wife and child to mourn his loss.

On Saturday last, Mr. Jacob Rennaker and A. J. Whitson met near Rocky Springs, in this county, and an alteration ensuing, Mr. Whitson drew a revolver, and fired on Mr. Rennaker several times. The particulars of this difficulty have not been laid before us.

☞ The following gentlemen were re-elected directors of the Deposit Bank of Paris, on Monday last, for the ensuing year: W. H. Shackelford, Geo. W. Williams, Wm. Garth, C. V. Higgins, and T. I. Garrett. The Board re-elected Mr. Shackelford President on Tuesday last. The institution is in a very flourishing condition.

Paris Citizen, 11th inst.

☞ A fellow by the name of Wm. Henderson, who has been out of the Penitentiary only two weeks, was arrested last night, having in his possession a gold watch, supposed to be stolen, and an "outsider."—*Cin. Com., 11th.*

THE NEW LAW LECTURER.—Ex-Governor Washburn yesterday entered on the duties of Law Lecturer of Harvard College, as successor to Judge Loring.—*Boston Times, 9th inst.*

EXPENSIVE SMOKING.—A counsellor at law was fined two dollars and costs, on Wednesday, in a Police Court, for smoking a cigar in the streets of Boston.

MARRIED,

In St. Paul's Church, on Thursday, the 10th inst., by the Rev. HENRY M. DENISON, Mr. Q. C. GRAFTY, of Mississippi, to Miss OLIVIA JOSEPHINE BLANCHARD, of Louisville, Ky.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Something to Think About.

CARPENTER, SWYMMER & CO. in Louisville again, making No. 1 Daguerreotypes for One Dollar. They have bought from Mr. T. Harris his rooms, 517½ Main street, between Third and Fourth, where they will be ever ready to receive visits from their old customers. That they can beat all creation in making good pictures is too well known in this city to require further comment.

Their charges in every case will be found moderate, and all work warranted. my10

Daguerreotypes and Photographs,

CORNER of Fifth and Main streets. Hewett & Brown are sending out daily the finest specimens of the two arts.

They will at all times be found ready to fill all orders on shortest notice, either taken from life or copies from Portraits or Daguerreotypes. Life-like Photographs made from the smallest Daguerreotypes, and furnished colored in oil or water—the best artist in the city employed to do the coloring. Call and see specimens.

Hewett's former customers can here obtain the same superior Daguerreotypes that have secured him premiums over all competitors at the Mechanics' Fairs. my9

Read! Read!! Read!!!

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 26, 1855.

DR. R. VAUGHAN—Dear Sir: Last September I was taken with a severe attack of Chills and Fever, used quinine pills and other remedies for this disease without effect, when I happened to meet with you, and was advised to try DR. BLACKWELL'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF SARSAPARILLA AND VERSICOLA. I obtained one bottle, and used it with the very happiest effects. It acted upon my debilitated stomach and liver with as much efficacy as calomel, and the use of that one bottle restored my liver to a healthy action, cured the Chills, and I can assure you I have never had a return since or enjoyed better health in my life. R. D. CONDON.

For sale by Dr. R. Vaughan, No. 84 Third street, Louisville, Ky., R. A. Robinson & Co., Main street, and by every retail druggist in the city. my7 d&w

☞ WEAK, nervous, depressed in spirits, and a prey to innumerable mental as well as physical evils, the victim to dyspepsia is indeed an object of commiseration. Yet it is absurd for him to despair. We care not how low, weak, nervous, and irritable he may be, the cordial properties of Hoofland's German Bitters, prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, Philadelphia, are stronger than the many-headed monster which is preying upon his body and mind, and if he chooses to try them, we will insure a speedy cure. See advertisement. my7 deod&w3

Webster & Brother, Daguerreotypists & Photographers,

GALLERY—479 Main street. Specimens of their own production on exhibition at all hours during the day. Instruction in both branches imparted on reasonable terms, and Apparatus furnished when desired. fe19

Ed. Gary, Merchant Tailor,

FOURTH street, Jacob's Building, is now opening his Spring and Summer styles of Broadcloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings.

These articles are rich and elegant in finish and style, and selected in person with the greatest care, especially for this place. He flatters himself that his experience in the business, his attention and desire to please his friends, will enable him to afford the utmost satisfaction. His friends and the public are invited to call.

☞ All orders executed promptly. mr19 1ns

To the Public.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Feb. 8th, 1855.

MR. SOLOMONS—Dear Sir: I called upon you at your office, on Fourth street, in December last, and told you that I had purchased several pair of Spectacles at different stores, but had never obtained any that did not cause great pain and fatigue to the eyes, but am happy to state that the pair I purchased of you suit beyond my expectations, by day and candle light. I have found my sight improve so much since I have used them, that I cannot sit down and read small print without them. Wishing you every sucess your great enterprise deserves, I remain, yours truly, S. HILLMAN.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Feb. 24, 1855.

MR. G. SOLOMONS—Dear Sir: Having satisfactorily tried a pair of Spectacles purchased of you, and finding them far superior to any I have ever used, in that they rest and strengthen the eye, whilst all others have pained, wearied, and weakened my sight, I cordially recommend them to the use of all who stand in need of them.

Respectfully yours, S. J. EVANS,
On Broadway.

JEFFERSON CO., Dec. 2, 1854.

I have used Mr. SOLOMONS' Eye Glass for a very brief period, with decided advantage, and have no hesitation in stating that a defective vision of long standing has been relieved, and the organs seem to be acquiring vigor and tone. I therefore cheerfully bear testimony to their excellency and accuracy, as also to Mr. Solomons' skill as a practical Optician, and the wonderful facility with which he adapts his Glasses to the various peculiarities of vision. Yonrs truly, SAM'L B. SMITH.

☞ Mr. SOLOMONS' Office—No. 74 Fourth street, between Main and Market. fe24 dtf

J. F. GRIFFIN,

No. 573, S. W. COR. OF MARKET & FIRST STS.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING

AND FURNISHING STORE.

A NEW AND FASHIONABLE stock of men's, boys', and servants' Clothing, suitable for Spring and Summer wear, will be sold at low prices. Purchasers are particularly invited to call.

☞ DON'T FORGET THE NUMBER—573. my12 dtf&w3

CITY WEIGHER. HAVING BEEN elected City Weigher by the General Council, and assumed the duties of the office, I respectfully solicit the patronage of the business community. Gentlemen needing my services will call at the store of Marshall Halbert, Esq., north side Main, between Third and Fourth streets, or at the office of Moore & Son, Insurance Agents, Jacob's Buildings, Main street.

my12 CHARLES W. POPE, City Weigher.

JEWELRY. THE UNDERSIGNED would respectfully inform his friends, and the public at large, that he has just opened, and is daily receiving direct from the manufactories, all sorts of French, English, and Swiss Gold, Silver, and Composition Watches; a splendid assortment of Rings, Earrings, Breast-pins, Bracelets, Lockets, Cuff-pins, and a great many other articles in that line too numerous to mention. Also, fine French Accordeons and Flutinas.

He would call particular attention of Watchmakers, and all dealers in the above named articles, that he has on hand the largest assortment of Clocks ever brought to this city, which he is enabled to sell as low as they can be bought in any other city west of the mountains.

JULIUS MENDEL,
Main street, between Sixth and Seventh,
my12 Under Louisville Hotel.

NEW STYLES OF JEWELRY just received at JAMES I. LEMON'S, Main st., between Second and Third.

I have lately received some new and very beautiful styles of Jewelry, in sets and single pieces. As I am receiving Goods every few days, my stock is always very complete. I have now on hand a beautiful lot of Goods, and desire to call the attention of all who wish anything in my line to it.

my12 JAS. I. LEMON.

CAMEO, MOSAIC, AND GOLD Jewelry, of late and very pretty styles, just received at [my12] JAS. I. LEMON'S.

A GREAT WORK. ARMAGEDdon, or the Overthrow of Romanism and Monarchy; the existence of the United States foretold in the Bible, its future greatness, invasion by allied Europe, annihilation of Monarchy, expansion into the Millennial Republic, and its dominion over the whole world; revised edition; by S. D. Baldwin. New supply received by F. A. CRUMP,
my12 81 Fourth street, near Market.

FOR CASH. FROM THIS DATE I will sell Ready-made Clothing, Furnishing Goods, and Youths' and Children's Clothing, at greatly reduced prices, exclusively for cash.

my12 J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Corner Fourth and Main streets.

YOU CAN GET HANDSOME Coats, Pants, Vests, Shirts, Hosiery, Underwear, Handkerchiefs, Cravats, &c., 20 per cent. less than usual at J. M. ARMSTRONG'S, corner Fourth and Main sts., but you must bring the cash to do it. my12

BY EXPRESS THIS DAY, another lot of those handsome style Winchester Patent Shirts, fancy and plain, with French cuffs, and for sale very low for cash, and nothing shorter, at

J. M. ARMSTRONG'S,
my12 Corner Fourth and Main streets.

REMEMBER THAT YOU CAN get the finest assortment of Youths' and Children's Clothing to be had in the city, at

J. M. ARMSTRONG'S,
my12 Corner Fourth and Main streets.

NO MORE CREDIT. J. M. ARMstrong has determined to sell his handsome assortment of Ready-made Clothing for cash; so if you want Clothing cheap, bring along the dust to No. 46, corner Fourth and Main streets. my12

CALL ON POLLARD, PRATHER & SMITH, and purchase one of their elegant White Beaver Hats. They are very light and of the finest material. my12

COUNTRY MERCHANTS WHO desire to purchase their Hats, Caps, and Straw Goods at the very lowest prices should give us a call, as we are selling our stock at factory prices.

POLLARD, PRATHER & SMITH,
my12 456 Main street.

LEGHORN HATS. BY EXPRESS, an elegant assortment of Leghorn Hats at very low prices. POLLARD, PRATHER & SMITH,
my12 456 Main street.

NEW STYLE SOFT HATS. BY express, a beautiful and superior article of Soft Hats, expressly for retail.

POLLARD, PRATHER & SMITH,
my12 456 Main street.

BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S HATS and Caps of every description at very low prices.
my12 POLLARD, PRATHER & SMITH.

WE MANUFACTURE THE MOST elegant Dress Hat in the city, and have ready for our sales to-day a large stock.

POLLARD, PRATHER & SMITH,
my12 456 Main street.

CINCINNATI SAUCE. JUST received in store a supply of Cincinnati Sauce and for sale by [my12] A. FONDA.

TOMATO CATSUP. A FIRST-rate article of Tomato Catsup in store and for sale by [my12] A. FONDA.

CIDER VINEGAR. 50 BBLS CIder Vinegar in store and for sale by

my12 A. FONDA.

PEACHES. 50 BUSHELS DRIED Peaches in store and for sale by

my12 A. FONDA.

GERMAN PLUMS. JUST RECeived in store a supply of German Plums and for sale by [my12] A. FONDA.

SALMON. JUST RECEIVED A No. 1 article of Salmon in quarter bbls and for sale by [my12] A. FONDA.

AN ASSORTMENT OF NOS. 1 AND 2 Mackerel, Whitefish, and Table Rock Codfish, &c., for sale by

my12 A. FONDA, No. 95 Fourth st.

Oakland Course Races,

SPRING MEETING, 1855.

WILL COMMENCE ON WEDnesday, May 30, 1855, and continue throughout the week.

FIRST DAY.—Club Purse, $200; two-mile heats.

Second Race (same day.—Louisville Hotel Stake, for three year olds; mile heats; fifty dollars entrance, half forfeit. The Louisville Hotel adds fifty dollars if two or more start, to name and close on the 16th of May.

SECOND DAY.—Club Purse, $100; mile heats.

Second Race (same day—Galt House Stake, for three year olds; two-mile heats; one hundred dollars entrance, fifty dollars forfeit, to name and close on the 16th of May. The Galt House adds one hundred dollars if two or more start.

THIRD DAY (Friday.)—Club Purse, $150; mile heats: best three in five.

FOURTH DAY (Saturday.)—Club Purse, $500; three-mile heats.

☞ No horse can gallop for a purse.

Entries to the stake to address

my11 dtd JAS. A. SMITH, Galt House.

A few Words for your own Good.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: IT is doubtless nothing new to you in mentioning the hard times which we have had for the last eight or ten months; and it is probable they will continue for some time to come. We all know how hard it is for many of us to make anything above what is required for our daily living—to support our loved parents, or parents their children. How often in these hard times does it occur that families are separated—the younger portion emigrating to distant lands in quest of fortune, to gladden the hearts of the cold fold at home," and how fearful the danger that, in this laudable effort, many will become sick and die among strangers in a distant land, far from home and friends! How important, then, is it that every family, parent, son, brother, and sister, should secure a faithful, and life-like likeness of those to whom we are related by all those dearities of nature. But "hard times" is the cry. Friends, ROESBERG is determined that this excuse shall avail you no longer, and for that purpose will take pictures of yourself and friends at the following reduced prices, and he stipulates that they shall be equal to the best. So read and satisfy yourself, and give him a call at the well-known Mammoth Daguerreian Gallery, No. 531 Main street.

☞ ROESBERG takes the best and cheapest Daguerreotypes at present in the city, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG puts up Daguerreotypes, with case and all, for 50 cents, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG now sells a medium-size case, with the picture in it, for 75 cents, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG now furnishes a case, with the likeness, that has never been sold for less than $2, at $1, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG now sells a Papier Mache case, including the Daguerreotype, that formerly cost $3 and $3 50, at $2 and $2 50, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG now gives a quarter-size picture, with fine case, which formerly cost $4 50 and $5, for $3 and $3 50, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG takes all sizes Daguerreotypes, to be put up in frames, at a greatly reduced price, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG has on hand and is receiving every day some very fine Jenny Lind, Sunday, and Union ornamented cases, which he will sell, including the Daguerreotype, at a great reduction on the former cost, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG has some splendid pearl cases, which he furnishes with the Daguerreotype at a very small profit, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG now sells a half-size case, with the picture, that has always cost from $5 to $6, for $3 and $4, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG also sells a half-size Papier Mache case, including the likeness, for $3 and $4, which never sold for less than $10 or $12, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG takes over all badly taken Daguerreotypes by other artists at 50 cents, and if not bettered no charge will be made for the trouble, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG takes no likenesses of little children under three years of age for less than $1, on account of the difficulty in getting them to sit still for a Daguerreotype, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG takes no Daguerreotypes to be put in lockets, breastpins, &c., for less than $1, at the Mammoth Gallery.

☞ ROESBERG, remember, has the largest sky-light and larger room than any other Daguerreotypist in the city, at the Mammoth Gallery.

ROESBERG takes great delight in waiting on all those who may honor him with a call, at the well-known Mammoth Daguerreian Gallery, No. 531 Main street, between Second and Third, immediately opposite the Bank of Kentucky. mr8 m&e

ENVELOPES.

150,000 buff (adhesive) Envelopes, cheap;
25,000 do fine laid, superior article;
25,000 white do do;
50,000 Document & Generum's Envelopes, all sizes;
Received this day and for sale by
my11 C. HAGAN & CO., Main st.

CAP PAPER.

100 reams fine Eagle Mills, white laid;
100 do do do do, blue do;
50 do do Southworth Record Cap;
50 do do do counting house Cap;
100 do do Bill Paper, white and blue, narrow and broad fold;
Received and for sale by
my11 C. HAGAN & CO., Main st.

CLARET WINE. 100 BOXES ST. Julien Medoc received by steamer Niagara, and for sale by [my11] H. T. CURD & CO.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons within the City of Louisville owning Dogs, that they are required to confine the same within their premises for the space of four months from the 10th inst., under the penalty prescribed by ordinance.

my11 dlm JAMES S. SPEED, Mayor.

☞ Courier and Anzeiger copy.

ELM HALL SUGAR-HOUSE MOlasses—127 half bbls and 87 bbls received by steamer Ben Franklin and for sale by

my11 A. RAWSON.

SODA. 100 KEGS BI-CARB. SODA for sale by [my11] A. RAWSON.

H. M. BREDEN, DRUGGIST AND Apothecary, corner Sixth and Chestnut streets, Louisville, keeps constantly on hand a complete stock of fresh and genuine MEDICINES, and all articles usually sold by retail druggists.

Physicians' prescriptions compounded at all hours with accuracy and dispatch. my8 d3m

LARGE ARRIVAL OF

CARPETS

AND FURNISHING GOODS

AT THE NEW YORK STORE.

DURKEE, HEATH & CO. HAVE just received a large and varied assortment of Carpets and Furnishing Goods, embracing all varieties of styles and qualities in the manufactures of English, Scotch, and American fabrics, to be found in any Carpet Establishment in America.

Our stock of Carpets has been selected with the utmost caution as to merit in the goods we offer, and a view to pleasing the tastes of all who may favor us with an inspection of our stock.

Royal Wilton and Velvet Carpeting;
Crosley's and superior Tapestry Carpeting;
Pardee, Homan & Pardee's do do;
Superior American do do;
Union Mills old style rich Brussels do;
Velvet and Brussels Stair do;
Superior and Imperial 3-ply do;
Tapestry ingrain do;
Extra super and fine 2-ply do;
Union and Hemp do;
3 and 4-4 English Stair and Hall do;
5-8, 3 and 4-4 plain and twilled Venitian do;
Smith's American Patent Tapestry Ingrain, by the yard, or in patterns to suit rooms—the most superior quality and styles of any Ingr

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

MAY.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Moon's Phase.
7 Monday	5 6	6 54	
8 Tuesday	5 5	6 55	
9 Wednesday	5 4	6 56	
10 Thursday	5 3	6 57	
11 Friday	5 2	6 58	
12 Saturday	5 1	6 59	D. H. M.
13 Sunday	5 00	7 00	Last Q'r 8 [illegible] 19 E.

SATURDAY, - - - MAY 12, 1855.

For Amusements, Auction Sales, and Steamboats, see appropriate Heads.

☞ Yesterday was another fine growing day.

☞ Samuel S. Swope, of Pendleton county, is the Know-Nothing candidate for Congress, in the 10th District.

CAMPBELL MINSTRELS.—These celebrated minstrels did not arrive last night, and the concert did not of course come off as advertised.

☞ Mr. F. A. Crump, Fourth street, has on hand their May number of the Knickerbocker, the favorite of all who know anything about it.

☞ The Paris (Ky.) Citizen of the 11th inst. states that James M. Arnold, Esq., was appointed Deputy Sheriff on Monday last.

☞ There will be a meeting of the Kentucky Horticultural Society at the Merchants' Exchange this morning, at 10 o'clock.

☞ The Rev. Dr. Plummer will preach in the Second Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, and Rev. Dr. Musgrave in the evening at 8 o'clock.

☞ Two little children who were lost, and found upon the street, were kindly cared for, and taken home by Mr. Gilliss of the Sixth ward, last evening.

☞ There will be no detention on the Jeffersonville railroad to-day on account of the accident which occurred on Thursday. The track is clear, and the train will proceed on as usual.

☞ In the case of Glover, Mather & Co., against the post-office department, depositions are being made, daily, before James I. Dozier, to be read in the case upon its final action before Congress.

☞ Dr. Strader, of the Woodland Garden, received yesterday a crocodile sixteen feet long, a reindeer, and a pair of storks. These added to his extensive stock of animals constitute quite a show. They can be seen at his garden, free of charge.

☞ Mr. J. F. Griffin, on the south-west corner of Market and First streets, keeps a full supply of gentlemen's clothing and furnishing goods. His stock embraces a full variety of all articles in his line of trade.

THE LIQUOR LAW SEEN THROUGH A SPIRITUAL MEDIUM.—The N. Y. Herald says that ex-Judge Edmonds has nearly ready for publication a legal revelation in favor of temperance. He has discovered that Messrs. Hall and Dillon are not proper mediums.

☞ Dr. John Jackson—a gentleman of distinguished ability and an able debater, made a speech at Lebanon, Ky., on Monday, in which he took occasion to stir up the new fangled party. A few more such speeches in the field, and Know-Nothingism is dead.

☞ Mr. George Thompson, for six or seven years foreman in the Democrat office, but now a staunch farmer near Waidsboro', Ky., is in our city. He is a first-rate Democrat, and we hereby announce him an agent for the Democrat in that section of Kentucky.

DEMOCRATIC VICTORIES—KNOW-NOTHING DEFEAT.—In Cambridge, Ind., at the late municipal election, the Democrats beat the oath-bound conspiritors fifty-four votes. Heretofore the city has been largely Whig. In Columbus, Ind., also, the Democratic ticket succeeded, the Know-Nothings being completely driven from the field.

☞ The Washington Star of Monday states that the Government has directed a civil suit to be commenced in New York against T. Butler King late Collector of the Customs at San Francisco, Cal., for a balance of about $40,000 claimed by the accounting officers of the Treasury to be due the United States from Mr. King.

☞ Mrs. Betsey Leonard, widow of the late Capt. John Leonard, of Keene, N. H., is just 100 years old, and is expected to take a trip to Boston next week to visit some friends. Her husband was one of "minute men," and fought at Bunker Hill. Mrs. Leonard was married to her late husband in 1775.

☞ For the benefit of our lady readers, we publish upon our first page, this morning, two beautiful little stories—"A Wife's Devotion," and "The Contented Man." Almost every number of the Democrat will contain something for them.

We are determined to render our paper a welcome visitor to every fireside.

MUSICAL CRITICISM.—The editor of the "Battle Axe of Freedom and the Tommahawk of Liberty," writing from Philadelphia after hearing Miss Louisa Pyne sing the song of The Skylark, says:—"Her voice is delicious, pure as the moonlight, and as tender as *a three shilling shirt*." What delicate organs of hearing he must have, and what beautiful comparisons he makes—there's a critic for you.

CHARGE OF THE MUD BRIGADE.—We noticed the Inspector of the Western District on Fourth street yesterday, with his "Street Brigade,"

With the hoe—with the spade
With the spade thundered;
See what a SCRAPE they made.
Less than one hundred.

☞ Farmers of Jefferson county are complaining that the hessian fly is making havoc among their wheat. It is but a few days since they anticipated an abundant wheat harvest. Yesterday an intelligent and close observing farmer informed us that in one field of thirty acres he feared it would not average him a yield of three bushels to the acre.

TALL THROW.—The Mechanic boys were out yesterday evening with their machine, at the cistern corner of Main and Third streets, and made some of the tallest throwing lately witnessed.—With two streams they threw over the top of Bustard's new five story house, and with three threw to the eaves. The Mechanic boys may boast loudly now, and will be entitled to the horns.

L. I. RACES.—The result of the great trotting match that came off on Monday last, at the Union Course, between Sontag and Flora Temple, we find given in the New York Herald, of the 9th inst. Match $2,000, mile heats, best three in five, to wagons, wagon and driver weighing three hundred pounds. First heat Sontag won, making it in 2:31; the second heat in 2:33, and the third in 2:35.—Much money was lost and won on this race. Next Monday a race will come off between Pocahontas and Hero.

A KNOW-NOTHING CERTIFICATE.—A gentleman of our city found an old pocket book yesterday, containing a three cent piece and a certificate, which certifies that on the 17th of February, 1855, "the Second Degree of our Order was conferred upon Mr. ———, by and with the consent of the Council." We omit the name of the person and also of the Secretary. This certificate shall be carefully preserved for the owner, which he can get upon application to this office, and upon payment of this advertisement.

THEATRE.—The attendance at the Theatre last evening was one of the most brilliant of the season, and was a substantial evidence of the high appreciation in which Mr. Murdoch is held as an actor. At the conclusion of the performance, Mr. Murdoch was called out, and in a few handsome remarks tendered his acknowledgements to the audience for their liberal patronage. Mr. Murdoch has ever been a favorite in this city, and during his present engagement has won hosts of warm admirers. He will make his last appearance this evening in the new and much admired tragedy of De Soto, and the beautiful comedy of My Aunt.

RIVER AND WEATHER.

The river was still falling last night, with six feet and a half water in the canal, and four feet seven inches on the falls in the pass.

The weather yesterday was considerably warmer than on Thursday—more seasonable.

PITTSBURG, May 11—P. M.

There are five feet eleven inches water in the channel and falling slowly. The weather is clear and cool.

CINCINNATI, May 11—P. M.

The river is falling slowly. The weather is fine.

PITTSBURG, May 7—M.

There are six feet water in the channel and at a stand. The weather is clear and pleasant.

CINCINNATI, May 11—M.

The river is falling slowly. The weather is clear and pleasant.

The steamer Charleston came down yesterday from Cincinnati, heavily laden with all kinds of manufactured articles for the Memphis market. Why can't the merchants of Louisville offer such inducements to the people of Memphis and other southern cities, as to gain a respectable share of their trade, if not all of it? Will some one be kind enough to enlighten us on this point?

The stern-wheel steamer Progress, up yesterday from Nashville, which place she left last Sunday morning, reports the Fawn, Captain Bunce, hard aground at Harpeth shoals, with very little prospect of getting above.

The swift A. L. Shotwell is the packet to-day for New Orleans. Captain B. L. Elliott. Accommodations superb.

The splendid passenger packet, David White, is off this afternoon at 4 o'clock, for New Orleans, from the Portland wharf. Captain McGill is one of the cleverest officers on the western waters, and Mr. Mitchell in the clerk's office, will be happy to do their utmost for the comfort of their passengers.

We learn, from the Cincinnati Gazette, that the general agency of the boats forming the daily line between this city and Cincinnati, will hereafter be under the management of Captain A. C. Munfort. His office is now being fitted up on the mail line wharf-boat, where he can be found at all hours. This is a position which Captain Frank Carter has held for some time, with profit to the business of the line, and accommodation to the traveling public.

The Crystal Palace, Captain Kountz, will be off this afternoon for St. Louis. She will carry passengers through in quick time, and with as much attention to their comfort as gentlemanly officers can bestow.

Captain Moore has contracted in Cincinnati for building a side-wheel boat, 145 feet long, 28 feet beam, for the Yazoo river trade, to be completed early in August.

The Emma Dean is on her way from St. Louis to Cincinnati, with a cargo of wheat.

We clip the following from the Cincinnati Commercial of yesterday morning:

The river continues to recede slowly, with cool and pleasant weather. There were only eight steamers in port last night. The Ohio No. 2, Empire State, Gulnare, Seventy-Six, Madison, Mediator, C. Bealer, and Allegheny.

Our punctual correspondent "Sam," writes us that there was nineteen feet water and falling, in the Wabash at Terra Haute, on Wednesday evening. The Endeavor had passed Terre Haute, on her way to Lafayette. The Wabash was also falling at Vincennes, on Tuesday, with nine feet in the channel.

MORALS IMPROVING.—We can congratulate the people of Louisville upon the improving morals of the city. There was not a single case before the police court yesterday morning, no house breaking, no stealing, no drinking, no whipping of wives, or breaking of furniture, no violations of any of the various ordinances passed by the city fathers for the well being of the community. If such a state of affairs could only be continued, the judge and the clerk and the lawyers, would lose the chance of a livelihood, and newspaper reporters ransack the city in vain for an exciting item.

The only thing done yesterday morning was the giving of naturalization papers to one applicant.

☞ The punning editor of the Lafayette Journal says of the marriage of Lucy Stone: "We anticipated the result the first time we ever heard Lucy make an anti-slavery speech. It was very evident to us from the course of her remarks that she loved a *black well*."

☞ The Oswego Journal states that the steamers bound up Lake Ontario, have been literally packed with passengers for the far West; and that over a thousand persons were carried through by way of that port, last week, for that destination.

ACQUITTED.—Lieut. G. H. Scott, of the United States steamer Michigan, who was court-martialed at Erie, Pa., a few months ago, on the charge of purchasing coal, for the steamer's use, from personal favorites, at a large advance upon the current market rates, has been honorably acquitted, and the removal to other duty of the assistant engineer, who made the charge, recommended.

The Mayoralty Once More!

Two days ago, by the decision of the Hon. Judge Bullock, James S. Speed was declared to be entitled to the office of Mayor, for the term of two years from the time of election in 1854, and John Barbee, who was recognized by the present Council, and acting for a short time as Mayor, was ordered to surrender the books and papers to Speed. Thus Mr. Speed came again into the possession of the office, the duties of which he discharged for a day, more or less, when a *supersedeas* was sued out—which is a writ to stay proceedings at law.

The following is a copy of the official announcement of the proceedings to Mr. Speed:

STATE OF KENTUCKY—CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT.—I do hereby certify that an appeal has been granted by this Court, from a judgment obtained by James S. Speed against John Barbee, which judgment is in substance as follows: "Judgment that James S. Speed is entitled to the office of Mayor of Louisville for two years from the time of his qualification after the election in 1854, and John Barbee is ordered to surrender to said Speed all the books and papers and other things pertaining to said office of Mayor. Said Speed is hereby re-instated in said office, and said John Barbee enjoined from intermeddling with the duties thereof;" which was rendered in the Jefferson Circuit Court, on the 8th day of May, 1855, and that a Supersedeas bond has been executed within thirty days after the appeal was granted.

Therefore, the appellee, James S. Speed, and all others, are commanded to stay proceedings on the judgment.

Witness my hand as Clerk of said county, this 11th day of May, 1855.

HENRY J. LYONS, Clerk.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT—EXPLOSION OF A LOCOMOTIVE—TWO MEN KILLED.—A locomotive attached to the freight train from Indianapolis, exploded on Thursday evening, about six o'clock, near Memphis, sixteen miles beyond Jeffersonville. The engineer, Mr. Griffith Harris, and the fireman, Mr. Thomas, were instantly killed.

Mr. D. Lewis, proprietor of a saw-mill in Jeffersonville, Ind., who was on the train, was very badly injured.

The body of the engineer was blown a distance of about one hundred and fifty yards, and the principal portion of the boiler was also thrown two hundred yards from the scene of the explosion.

The passenger trains from Indianapolis and Cincinnati were detained several hours in consequence of the accident.

Since the above was in type, we have received the New Albany Ledger, of Friday evening, giving fuller particulars:

Explosion of a Locomotive!

TWO MEN KILLED AND ONE WOUNDED!!

About 5 o'clock last evening, the engine of a down freight train on the Jeffersonville Railroad exploded about two miles this side of Henryville, seventeen miles from Jeffersonville. The engineer, Mr. Harrison, and a fireman whose name we did not learn, were killed. The body of Mr. H. was found about 150 yards from the scene of the disaster, and it was supposed that *it had been blown entirely over the tops of the trees!* The only remains of clothing on him were a portion of the shirt collar, a portion of one boot, and a strip of one of the legs of his pantaloons. The body was as limber as a rag, the bones being apparently mashed to a jelly.

The name of the person who was wounded we could not ascertain. His leg was broken. He was a passenger. These three were the only persons on the train. The cause of the explosion is unknown, and probably will never be ascertained, as the only persons who could give any information on the subject are dead. Portions of the locomotive were found distant a hundred and fifty yards from the scene of the accident, and the track of the road was torn up for some distance.

We gather these particulars from a gentleman who came passenger from Indianapolis in last evening's train. Upon reaching the scene of this terrible explosion, the train was unable to proceed further on account of the obstructions. The passengers, therefore, had to remain there all night, and did not reach Jeffersonville till this morning.

PERJURY—ESCAPE—ACQUITTAL.—Wm. Bradshaw, the principal witness for the defence at each trial of the case of the Commonwealth vs. William Brookover, still pending in the Mason Circuit Court, was arraigned before Esquires Artus and Wood on Monday, on a charge of perjury in giving in his evidence in said case. While another trial was going on and the prisoner in the custody of the Court, he affected his escape and is said to have fled from the State.—*Maysville Eagle, 10th inst.*

NOTICES.

BY C. C. GREEN.—We call the attention of our readers to the auction sale of C. C. Green, at his auction rooms, No. 80 Third street, at 10 o'clock this morning. He also sells a fine family carriage at Whipp's stable, at 11 o'clk precisely. See advertisement.

☞ CHARLES W. POPE, city weigher, announces through card this morning, that he is ready to serve the public, and may be found at the store of Marshall Halbert, on Main, near Third street, or the insurance office of Moore & Son, in Jacob's Building, Main street.

☞ THE great medicine of the day, is Blackwell's Sarsaparilla and Versicola. Its success is, beyond all question, and it is indeed rare that any medicine, even with such intrinsic worth and value, so rapidly grows in public favor. Dr. Robert Vaughan, the sole proprietor of this invaluable compound, by his well directed and energetic purpose, will reap a large reward for himself, while he administers, at the same time, to the sick and lame, blind and halt.

☞ MESSRS. HUTCHINGS & CO., Bankers, on Main, near Fifth street, are checking on England, Ireland, and Scotland, in sums to suit purchasers, from £1 up. Those wishing to buy, would do well to give them a call.

☞ Intrinsic merit, more than windy advertising, is the cause of the widespread popularity of Dr. Geoghegan's Hydropiper. From the little germ in an interior town of Kentucky, it has worked its way unheralded from town to town, and State to State, until it is known and appreciated throughout the length and breadth of our country. From Canada to Mexico, from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean, so well and favorably known that it seems almost superfluous for us to say that it is a specific for scrofula and all impurities of the blood; also for dyspepsia and all derangements of the stomach and liver. Principal office, No. 74 Fourth street, in this city.

GENERAL BUTLER AND THE KNOW-NOTHINGS.—Inasmuch as the Know-Nothing press still continue to circulate the miserable calumny that General Butler, of Kentucky, is favorably disposed to their principles, notwithstanding our contradiction, we give an extract from the address which he made to the committee that waited upon him with the intelligence of his Congressional nomination. Said General Butler:

"Rumor—never very remarkable for truth—has insinuated that I am in some way connected with or have some little proclivity for this new order, and I find that the same insinuations are made with equal injustice against thousands of the truest Democrats in the land. The purpose is plain, but the trick has become too transparent to have any effect. It is not my custom to war with shadows; let me then say in unmistakeable terms that those rumors are false and unfounded, so far as I am concerned."

WATER-WORKS—THE ABSOLUTE NECESSITY TO MANUFACTURES.—There has been so much said in favor of the establishment of water-works in this city, that we hardly think it possible to say anything new on the subject; but that which is good can hardly be said too often in a good cause.

The question of building, on the part of the city, has been decided by the people; they have emphatically declared that the city shall not make any such undertaking. But we understand that declaration differently from some of our friends.—They believe the vote to have been a declaration, on the part of the people, that the city shall not only not build water-works, but shall not hold stock in any such an improvement. We do not so understand it—and we base our idea of the people's desire upon information given by several different persons.

They voted against the ordinance because they were unwilling the city government should build such a work; they believed the cost would be at least fifty per cent more than if built by a private company—and they were aware that the city could at any time after they were finished buy the works at an advance on the first cost of not more than ten per cent. Moreover, they believed that under the supervision of city officers, the works would require much longer time for their construction, and the style of the works would be less substantial, than would be the case if a private company should complete the job.

These are very sensible objections, and we believe them to be the main, if not the only reasons, for the defeat of the ordinance.

We do not conceive it possible that in this age of the world, any people laying claim to so much intelligence as the citizens of Louisville, can deliberately determine not to have water-works, or not to sustain them when once constructed. We know that a large majority of our citizens are opposed to the use of river water for drinking and culinary purposes, no matter how much it may be filtered and we confess that we are of that number but then we do not imagine that we shall be compelled to forego the luxury, on a hot summer's day, of a good cool drink, fresh from the bottom of the well. At the same time we are well aware that such an improvement is absolutely necessary to the complete success of our manufactures—and our city can never prosper as she should, unless her people engage largely in all kinds of manufacture.

A full and constant supply of water is as necessary to the successful working of a foundry or machine shop as the fuel used; well-water contains too much lime in solution, which cakes on the boilers, and very materially delays operations.

But the success of our manufactures is not the only reason in favor of the city subscribing.—Cleanliness is a virtue—without plenty of water neither our streets nor houses can be as free from dirt as they should be. Let us keep our homes and streets, and alleys, and side walks, and garden walks, and persons clean and neat, and we shall stand in less need of the doctor's prescriptions.

But we did not intend to argue the question at any length—merely to say that we cannot find in the last vote of the people, any reason why the proposition to subscribe by the city to the stock of a private company should not be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection. When the question comes before them, we trust they will remember that water-works are absolutely essential to the success of manufactures—and a prosperous condition among the manufacturing and mechanical classes of community will do more to increase the wealth and importance of the city than is in the power of pen to calculate.

☞ After a severe drouth in Alabama, Georgia, and South Carolina, these States were, last week, visited by copious showers of rain, which, being general, were of incalculable benefit.

☞ An exchange, speaking of a correspondent, says:

"We are always glad to hear from you, fair Sissie. Heaven has bestowed on you the gift of fire."

What a flaming contributor she must be!—*Cin. Enquirer.*

PORT OF LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, May 11.

ARRIVALS.

Telegraph No. 2, Rogers, Cincinnati.
Advance, Smith, Pittsburg.
Progress, Nashville.
Rainbow, Holcroft, Henderson.
U. S. Mail, Heslep, St. Louis.
Charleston, Dean, Cincinnati.
Franklin, Kanawha.

DEPARTURES.

Telegraph No. 3, Rogers, Cincinnati.
Advance, Smith, St. Louis.
Keystone State, St. Louis.
U. S. Mail, Haslep, Pittsburg.
Southerner, Catterlin, St. Louis.
Rainbow, Holcroft, Henderson.
Charleston, Dean, Memphis.
Franklin, Kanawha.

RECEIPTS BY RIVER.

PITTSBURG—Per Keystone—15 pkgs dry goods, Anderson, McL. & Co; 4 do do, Smith & Carte; 2 do do, Slevin & Cain; 2 do do, Garvin & Co.

CINCINNATI—Per Telegraph No. 3—72 sheets iron, Bast & Terfloth; 30 pcs do, Shreve, Anderson, & Thomas; 6 bbls whisky, Terfloth; 30 do do, Lane & Bartley, 8 bdls paper, J Cromey; 135 reels yarn, 5 bales twine, 28 bgs chain; 50 dz brooms, Killick; 106 bales hay, McQuiston & Co; 66 do do, 45 sks feed, Hayes & Son; 72 sks corn, R Ruckner; 163 do do, Jones & Semple; 14 do bran, NcAller; 2 hhds tobacco, Pickett; sdrs, various consignees.

NASHVILLE—Per Progress—41 hides, A M Taylor & Co; 13 scks rags, C J & A V Dupont; 5 hhds tobacco, J R Haynes; 8 tons scrap iron, W H Grainger.

HENDERSON—Per Rainbow—55 hhds tobacco, H Bridges; 23 do ko, J E Haynes; 100 bales sheeting, H D Newcomb & Bro, 3 bxs, 17 dry hides, A B Vanwinkle; 3 crates, J S Morris & Son; 3 bdls scythes, Lewis, W & Co; 15 bgs rags, A Buckner & Co; 3 bxs mdse, M Halbert; 3 bxs, W M Bates; 31 bbls flour, G Chapin; 23 pkgs sdrs. order; 7 pkgs, sundry consignees.

RECEIPTS BY RAILROAD.

LOUISVILLE AND FRANKFORT R. R.—May 11—100 pcs bgn, 8 bales hemp, T H Hunt & co; 100 pcs bagng C Gallagher & co; 50 bbls whisky, A Buchanan & co; 27 bgs feed, G Waters & co; 46 bxes soap, Lindenberger & co; 8 bales jeans and linsey, H A Dumesnil & co; 30 do tow, Smith; 10 do hemp, Smith & Russell; 10 bags hemp seed, Miller, Wingate & co; 1 do peaches, J H Cropper; 2 do wool, Thos Sparks; 2 bbls do, Swinney; 6 hams J F Speed; 1 bbl and 1 jug molasses, B Long; 10 pkgs mdse, owners.

BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, May 11.

The U. S. District Attorney has received a letter from the State Department, informing him that Mr. Fabeins is no longer U. S. Consul for Nicaragua.

WASHINGTON, May 11.

The Post Office Department has framed a series of instructions for the guidance of postmasters upon the receipt of valuable letters. The plan goes into operation on the 1st of July, after which letters can be registered and receipted for upon the fee of 5 cents. Extraordinary care will be taken to insure its safe delivery.

BALTIMORE, May 11.

The brig of war Dolphin sailed from Norfolk yesterday for the coast of Africa.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.

New Orleans papers of Friday have been received. One mail is now due. The Union of this morning says that Governor Reeder is not in Washington for the purpose of invoking the action of the General Government, in regard to the administration of his duties in Kansas. But he is simply making preparations to return to Kansas Territory, where he proposes making his future home. The Union proceeds to praise Reeder as a firm and conservative Democrat, siding with neither parties as to the excitement in Kansas.

BOSTON, May 11.

After night-session of seven hours, the House, this morning, at 2 o'clock, passed a resolution expelling Hiss—yeas 137, nays 15.

CHARLESTON, May 11.

The schooner Heyward has arrived, with Havana dates to the 5th—all quiet.

The yellow fever has made its appearance at San Jacinto.

Other vessels-of-war have quitted Havana to preserve the health of their crews.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.

The new Arctic ship is completed, and is taking on board her stores to-day, and will sail at noon to-morrow, under the command of Lieut. Simms, to join her consort at New York. Both vessels will probably sail from New York in the course of next week.

CINCINNATI, May 11.

The locomotive of the freight train on the Jeffersonville railway, exploded near Seymour, Indiana, this morning. The engineer and four others were instantly killed. The locomotive was blown to pieces.

CHICAGO, May 11.

The Michigan southern passenger depot was burned this afternoon. The cars and baggage was saved. The building is a total loss.

TELEGRAPH MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, May 11—P.M.

Flour—Firm at $3 70, with a demand about equal to the supplies.
Oats—32c.
Corn—Steady at 75@78c.
Whisky—33½c.
Cheese—New cheese dull at 8¼@9c.
Butter—Sales of butter at 25@33c.
Provisions—All firm; 300 bbls of mess pork sold at 15 50; 100 hhds of bacon sides sold at 8½c, packed.
Oil—Linseed has advanced to 95c, with sales of 125 bbls mostly held at $1.
Groceries—There is no change in groceries, firm but quiet.

NEW YORK, May 11—P. M.

Cotton—Market firm with an upward tendency; sales of 5,000 bales—New Orleans middling at 10¾c; N. O. fair at 11½c.
Flour—A trifle lower; sales of 3,500 bbls good Ohio at $10 50@10 75; Southern is heavy, with sales of 900 bbls at $10 87@11 25.
Provisions—Pork has advanced 12½c; sales of 2,00 at $16 68@16 75 for old mess, and $17 62@17 75 for new; beef is unchanged with a moderate demand; lard is easier but not quotably lower; bacon is scarce at 9@9½c.
Whisky—Ohio whisky 39.
Groceries—Coffee is steady, with sales of 1,000 bags; sugars buoyant.
Oil—Linseed oil is active, sales of 6,000 gals, to arrive, at 90@92c.
Stocks are dull and heavy. Money is unchanged.—Cumberland 27¾, N. Y. Central 91¼, Erie 41⅞, Reading 93¾.

CINCINNATI, May 11—M.

Flour—Firm at $9 80.
Whisky—Whisky 33½c.
Provisions—Steady. Sales of bacon sides at 8½c, packed.
Groceries—Firm.

NEW YORK, May 11—M.

Cotton—The Cotton market is firm.
Flour has declined 12½c, with of sales 200 bbls good Ohio at $10 50@10 75; Southern is heavy at $10 87@11 37.
Wheat—Wheat is firm.
Corn—Corn is firm, with an upward tendancy. Sales of Western mixed at $1 17.
Provisions—Pork has advanced 6c; 2,000 bbls sold; beef is firm; lard is drooping, with sales of 1,000 bbls.
Whisky—Ohio whisky 39c.
Stocks are steady. Money is abundant. Erie 49⅞, Cleveland and Toledo 79, Cleveland, Columbus, and Cincinnati 104, Va 6's 97⅛, Mo 6's 92.

Cattle Markets.

BALTIMORE, May 41.

Sixty head of cattle were offered, and all sold at prices ranging from 11½ to 13½c. net.
The market is very firm.
Hogs are in good supply, with an active demand, at 6¼@7¼ ¢ hundred.

NEW YORK, May 11.

The price of beeves has advanced $1, and is now quoted at $14@15 00.

REVIEW OF THE MARKET.

OFFICE OF LOUISVILLE DAILY DEMOCRAT, May 11, 1855.

REMARKS—There is more inquiry for provisions, and transactions have increased considerably the past two days, the market closing firm at full rates.

TOBACCO—Sales of 57 hhds at warehouses, viz:—7 60, 6 20, 7 50, 8 70, 6 45, 7 00, 6 40, 6 45, 6 55, 6 60, 8 45, 9 30, 6 55, 8 25, 6 25, 6 55, 7 00, 7 45, 8 25, 6 70, 6 70, 7 80, 8 20, 7 40, 8 55, 6 55, 6 70, 6 40, 7 45, 6 75, 6 45, 8 00, 6 50, 6 75, 7 10, 6 30, 6 50, 6 55, 9 35, 6 75, 6 30, 7 45, 6 00, 8 20, 6 30, 6 85, 6 65, 6 65, 7 85, 7 05, 7 80, 7 35, 7 20, 6 15, 7 50, 7 00.

GROCERIES—Sales of Java coffee at 16c; 60 bags Rio do at 11c; small sales of choice sugar at 7c, ¼c advance; 60 hhds fair and prime do at 6, 6½, and 6¾c; 10 bbls St. James refined sugar at 9½c; 20 do refined at 9@10c; light sales of S. H. molasses at 33@35c.

RICE—Sales of rice at 7¼c.

FRUIT—A sale to the trade of 50 bxs layer raisins at $3; 50 quarter do at 80c; 25 hf do at $1 60; choice Messina oranges at $7 50; lemons scarce with light sales at $5.

CORN—Sales of 500 bushels shelled corn at 92½c, sacks included; 500 sacks ear and shelled do at 85@90c.

OATS—Dull. Sales of 100 bushels, from store, at 65c.

HAY—Prices a trifle easier. Sales of 100 bales, from levee, at $20; 100 do, from store, at $21.

FLOUR—Continues in moderate demand. Sales of 150 bbls superfine do at $9 75@10 00.

WHISKY—Sales of 43 bbls raw do at 35c.

TAR—Sale of 15 bbls (28 gals.) at $5.

LEAD—A sale of 1,200 lbs bar do at 7¼c.

SHOT—A sale of 100 bags do at $1 95 ¢ bag, by the keg.

PROVISIONS—Sales of 12,000 lbs prime country bacon from wagon—hams 8½c, clear sides 9c, ribbed do 8c, shoulders 6¾c; from store, 2,000 lbs bacon clear sides at 9½c, loose; 457 bbls new mess pork at $15 37½, stored in Cincinnati, owned in Louisville; 1,200 canvassed hams at 10c; 20 bbls new mess pork at $16; 243 kegs prime lard at 11c.

POTATOES—Sales of 150 bushels Irish do at $1 00 ¢ bushel; 30 bbls choice white Mercer at $5.

BUTTER—Sales of prime lump do in cloths at 25c.

BAGGING—In better demand. Sales of 250 pcs hand loom do at 13c, 4 mo's with interest; 276 pcs power loom do at 14½c, cash and time.

ROPE—Sale of 222 coils of bale do at 7½c.

CANDLES—Sales of 150 bxs star do at 22c, usual discount; 100 bxs pressed tallow do at 14c.

FEATHERS—Lively. Sale of 7,395 lbs do at 32c.

OIL—Sales of 15 bbls linseed, from mill, at 95c; 15 bbls tanners' straits do at $24@25; 3 do Bank's do at $20.

LEAD—Sale from mill of 500 kegs pure white do at $8 80 ¢ h'd; sales of putty at $1 50, mill.

HIDES—In good demand. Sales of 300 Mo. flint do at 13¼c; 100 city cured dry salt at 13c; common country dry at 10½@11c.

SHEETINGS—A sale of 10 bales Cannelton sheetings at 8½c.

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, Friday, May 11.

The banks and bankers are discounting freely all undoubted first-class paper at easy rates. There is an abundance to buy up all the good paper offered—domestic bills at 4 mo's, at interest and ½ ¢ cent. exchange; bills at 4 and 6 mo's on New York and New Orleans, at interest and 1@1½ per cent. exchange off.

On the street the money market is tight.

Eastern exchange is going at ¾ to 1 ¢ cent., and in fair demand.

Very little doing in uncurrent money, and no particular change to note in rates.

The Cincinnati Gazette of yesterday morning says:

The market for Eastern Exchange continues firm at ¾@1 premium, and bankers are not disposed to check freely. In the money market there is no change. Capital is abundant for all first class offerings.

In the general market a moderate business only is being transacted, and in prices we have no change to note from yesterday.

WORMS EVEN IN ADULTS. The administration of B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge has always been characterized with success, always producing in the feelings a marked change for the better. Any one who tries it can safely confide in it, as the most delicate infant cannot be injured by its use. Adults, too, are frequently subject to worms in the rectum and small intestines which always impair the health.

ATHENS, N. Y., June 2d, 1853.

MESSRS. B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO—I have used two bottles of B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge, which I purchased from your agent. It had the desired effect in bringing away a large number of worms from my wife. I purchased another vial and gave it to my child; it had the same effect, bringing away great numbers of worms. I therefore recommend it to the public as a sure remedy for worms.

☞ Sold, wholesale and retail, by all the principal druggists and country merchants throughout the United States. ap24 w1m

PUBLIC SALE. WE WILL SELL to the highest bidder, on Thursday, the 7th day of June, our Mill and other property, situated in Jefferson county, in sight of the turnpike leading from Louisville to Frankfort, and immediately on the railroad running from the city to Shelbyville, 18 miles from Louisville. The property consists of a new and substantial mill house, two runs of burrs, and all the machinery new and complete, and located in a first-rate section for business, and four acres of land, with dwelling-house and all necessary out buildings.

TERMS.—One-third payable at Christmas, and the balance in one and two years from that time, with interest from date of sale, secured by note.
my1 d&w4 WILLIAM DYE, JR., & CO.

AUCTION SALES.

BY C. C. SPENCER.

Leasehold Estate, with Brick Dwelling, AT AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, May 16th, at 5 o'clock, will be sold on the premises, corner of Lafayette and Preston streets, the Leasehold in 63 feet of ground, having about 16 years to run, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a large two-story Brick House, called the "Phoenix House," having twelve rooms and two store-rooms, with every necessary out-building, and gas conducted through the house.

This property is susceptible of being occupied as two tenements, each having a store-room, and is in a good location for business. Immediate possession will be given. The property will be positively sold without reserve. Those in want of property which will pay a handsome per centage, ought to embrace this opportunity.

TERMS—One-half cash; balance in 6 and 12 months, with interest and lien.
my12 C. C. SPENCER, Auctioneer.

BY C. C. SPENCER.

Grand Sale of House-furnishing Goods, Glassware and Cutlery, Plated, Brittania, Wood, Willow, Tin, and Japaned Wares, Refrigerators, Shower Baths, Water Coolers, Cream Freezers, and Variety Goods, on 6 months' credit, AT AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 18th, at 10 o'clock, and continuing until the whole stock is sold, will be sold at the store of H. W. Wilkes & Son, No. 75 Fourth street, between Main and Market, their large stock of Housekeeping and Furnishing Goods, consisting in part of fine Cut and Pressed Glassware and Chinaware, fine and common Table Cutlery, Plated Castors, Spoons, Forks, Ladles and Mugs, Tea Trays, Waiters, and Japaned ware, Lamps and Girandoles, Brittania and Block Tinware, Baskets, Zinc, Toilet Setts, Bath Tubs, Shower and Sitting Baths, Refrigerators, Patent Ice Cream Freezers, Bird Cages, China and Bohemian Glass, Ornaments and Vases, Rich Cut Decanters, Patent Preserving Cans, Gold Fishes and Glass Globes, Chafing Dishes, Brushes, Cooking Utensils, Fire-proof Baking Dishes, Wire Goods, Looking Glasses, &c., with a great assortment of the minor articles used by housekeepers.

☞ It is seldom such an opportunity occurs for buying useful and seasonable goods at auction. Persons wishing such, either for their own use or to sell again, will find this a rare chance to get supplied, as the owners are about changing their business, and are determined to sell the goods for whatever they will bring. The articles are all of good quality and style, being purchased expressly for city retail sales.

Terms—$50 and under cash, over $50 to $150 4 months' credit, over $150 6 months' credit, joint note with approved security payable in bank.
my12 C. C. SPENCER, Auctioneer.

BY T. C. DUFFY.

FURNITURE, PIANO, AND CLOCKS, AT AUCTION.

I WILL SELL THIS MORNING, Saturday, May 12, at 9½ o'clock, at my Auction Room, No. 518 Market street, a lot of Furniture, &c., as follows: Wardrobes, Bedsteads, Tables, Presses, Stands, Desks, cane-seat and Windsor Chairs, eight-day and thirty-hour clocks, Cooking Stoves, Mattresses, one second-hand Piano; also, Gold, Gilt, and Silver Watches, which will be sold without reserve.

☞ Sale positive—terms cash.
my12 T. C. DUFFY, Auctioneer.

CARRIAGES AT AUCTION.

WILL BE SOLD THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, at Thompson's Stable, on Market, between Second and Third streets, an assortment of new and second-hand Carriages.
my12 d1* M. LEACH, Auctioneer.

BY C. C. SPENCER.

Large sale of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, Hosiery, Millinery Articles, Fans, Clothing, Port-Monnaies, Knives, Scissors, and Variety Goods, just received from New York and Philadelphia, AT AUCTION,

ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, May 16th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at Auction Rooms, No. 80 Fourth street, a large and varied assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, just received per express from the east, in part as follows:

66 pieces assorted Curtain Draperies; 10 pairs Thread Lace Curtains; 140 dozen assorted Suspenders, some very fine; 350 do do Cotton Hose; 225 do do do Half Hose; 75 do do Gloves; 20 lbs black and colored Italian Sewing Silks; 15 dozen embroidered, printed, bordered, and Turkey red Handkerchiefs; 60 dozen superior ivory, gilt, Papier Mache, and plain Port Monnaies; 80 dozen assorted Scissors, some extra quality; 67 do do Pocket and Pen Knives; 5 cases Palm-leaf Fans; together with black Italian Cravats, superior Needles, Ribbons (quilled and plain), Worsteds, Whalebone, Fringe, Silk Spools, Pearl Buttons, Stay Laces, Spool Thread, Silk Handkerchiefs, embroidered Undersleeves, solid-headed Pins, Madras Handkerchiefs, Tooth and Hair Brushes, with an innumerable lot of other articles.

Also, will be added an invoice of Summer Clothing, in which will be found super French Cloth Dress, Sack, and Frock Coats; Cassimere Pants; Summer Vests, Coats, Pants, Undershirts, and Drawers; besides a variety of other articles in the Clothing line.

☞ The attention of city and country dealers is called to this sale. The articles are all fresh, seasonable, and desirable, and are ordered to be sold without reserve.

☞ Terms cash. C. C. SPENCER,
my11 Auctioneer.

BY C. C. GREEN.

A SUPERIOR FAMILY CARRIAGE AT AUCTION.

I WILL SELL ON SATURDAY MORNING, May 12th, at 11 o'clock precisely, in front of Whip's stable, on Third street, nearly opposite the Post Office, a superior Family Carriage, capable of carrying six persons; it is new, light, and well finished.

☞ Terms cash. Sale positive.
my12 d2 C. C. GREEN, Auctioneer.

BY C. C. GREEN.

Furniture, Stoves, Carpets, Clocks, &c., &c., AT AUCTION.

ON SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 12, 1855, at 9 o'clock, I will sell at my Auction Rooms, No. 80 Third street, a desirable assortment of Furniture, &c., consisting in part as follows: 6 superior Bedsteads and Mattresses; 1 lot fine and common Carpets; 1 lot common Chairs; 8 Wash and Candle Stands; 1 lot Pillows and Bolsters; 1 lot Beds and Bedding; 6 Clocks and 8 Mirrors; 1 lot of Breakfast and Dinner Tables; 1 lot China and Stone ware; together with many other articles too numerous too mention.

☞ Sale positive—terms cash.
my10 C. C. GREEN, Auctioneer.

BY C. C. SPENCER.

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, AT AUCTION.

ON MONDAY MORNING, MAY 14, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at the residence of Mrs. Pennington, southwest corner of Green and Second streets, the Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting of one fine mahogany Sofa, Card Tables, Extension Table, Bedsteads, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Chairs, Wardrobe, Bureaus, Feather Beds, Refrigerator, superior eight-day Clock, Looking Glasses, Glass and China ware, Quilts, Table Linen, Cooking Range, and Kitchen Furniture, with many other articles. Sale positive, as the house is rented and possession wanted. Terms cash.
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FIFTH LARGE SPRING SALE OF DRY GOODS,

By Catalogue, on Three Months' Credit,

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OUR FIFTH LARGE SPRING sale will commence at 9½ o'clock, on the morning of Wednesday, the 16th inst., when we shall proceed to sell by catalogue, on a credit of three months,

400 packages and lots of Foreign and Domestic Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

Our goods are all fresh and warranted in good order, and will be open to the inspection of buyers on the morning of sale, at our store No. 438 Main street.

No pains will be spared to render the assortment attractive and well worthy the attention of buyers.

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my1 d&w GOWDY, TERRY & CO., Anct'rs.

☞ Our sixth large Spring sale will be on the 30th inst.

EXTRA FINE OLD LIQUORS IN Wood.—
2 ¼ pipes Pinet & Co. pale Brandy;
3 ¼ pipes Chateau Bernard do;
2 ¼ pipes P. H. Godard & Co. do;
2 ¼ pipes Otard & Co. do;
4 ¼ pipes Leger do;
In store and for sale at the Blue House by
my9 J. P. THOMPSON.

SUPERIOR OLD BOTTLED LI- quors.—
12 dozen pale Brandy;
12 do dark do;
15 do Madeira and Sherry Wine;
10 do Old Port do;
In store and for sale by
my9 J. P. THOMPSON, Fourth st., near Main.

CHAMPAGNE WINE AND HOS- tetter Bitters.—
25 baskets Bouzy Champagne;
25 do Hiedsick do;
20 do Jockey Club Champagne;
25 cases De Brimont do;
40 do Hostetter Bitters;
For sale at the Old Blue House, Fourth street, by
my9 J. P. THOMPSON.

RAISINS.
600 packages, quarters, halves, and wholes, layer;
150 do do do do do, MR.
In store and for sale by
my8 FONDA & MORRIS.

TEA.
30 half chests superior Gunpowder;
10 do do do Oolong;
25 do do do Pouchong;
In store and for sale by
my8 FONDA & MORRIS.

SUGAR. 70 HHDS IN STORE AND for sale by [my8] FONDA & MORRIS.

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50 bbls assorted Nos. crushed;
25 do do do powdered.
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75 bags prime Rio;
10 bales Mocha; in store and for sale by
my8 FONDA & MORRIS.

MOLASSES. 75 BBLS GOOD Plantation Molasses for sale by
my7 THUSTIN & ELY.

COFFEE. 75 BAGS GOOD RIO Coffee for sale by
my7 THUSTIN & ELY.

TEA. 100 PACKAGES TEA FOR sale by [my7] THUSTIN & ELY.

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125 bags Virginia Tobacco;
50 do Missouri do;
50 do Kentucky do;
For sale by [my7] THUSTIN & ELY.

VINEGAR. 25 BBLS GOOD FAMI- ly Vinegar for sale by
my7 THUSTIN & ELY.

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my7 THUSTIN & ELY.

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my7 THUSTIN & ELY.

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To conclude with MY AUNT.

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Rattle, ... Mr. Rogers.

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Nature and Human Nature; by Sam Slick, author of Sam Slick, the clockmaker, Wise Saws, Old Judge, &c.; paper 50c, cloth 75c.

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The English Woman in Russia, or Impressions of the Russians at home; by a lady ten years resident of that country; illustrated; price $1 25.

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Just received by [my7] S. RINGGOLD.

SHIRTS. WARRANTED TO FIT Perfect.—Just received by express another invoice of ready-made Linen and Muslin Shirts, cut and shaped with all the modern improvements. I would respectfully invite all those who may want to fit out their wardrobes in the way of neat, well-made, and elegant fitting Shirts. They cannot fail to find every style, shape, and pattern out, consisting in part as follows:

Fine Linen Shirts, fine plaits, standing collars;
Do do do, full bosoms, linen lawn collars;
Do do do, broad plaits, standing do;
Fancy do do, assorted patterns, do do;
Fine Muslin do, broad plaits, do do;
Do do do, do do, Byron do;
Do do do, do do, without do;
Do do do, full bosom lawn, standing do;
Medium do do, broad plaits, standing, Byron, and no collars;
Fancy French Muslin, fast colors, warranted;
50 dozen low-priced Muslin Shirts, broad plaits, at wholesale, a great bargain;

All Shirts sold at my establishment are made expressly for my sales, and the best materials and work are secured, so call at 525, southwest corner of Third and Main streets, if you are in search of good Shirts.
my7 A. D. MANSFIELD.

HEADQUARTERS FOR NEW Books.—F. A. Crump's, 84 Fourth street, near Market.

Kate Aylesford, a Story of the Refugees, by Chas. J. Peterson. Price 1 25.

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The Life of Sam Houston (the only authentic memoir of him ever published). Price 1 25.

The Teacher's Last Lesson, a Memoir of Martha Whiting, by C. N. Badger. Price 1 00.

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The splendid low pressure steamer JACOB STRADER, J. B. Summons, master, will leave as above on this day, 12th inst., at 12 o'clock, M.
For freight or passage apply on board or to
my12 A. C. MONFORT.
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For New Orleans.

The splendid passenger steamer DAVID WHITE, A. McGill, master, will leave as above on this day, 12th inst., at 4 o'clock, P. M.
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my12 I. S. MOORHEAD.

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The splendid passenger steamer THOS. SWANN, Buies, master, will leave as above on Sunday, 13th inst., at 12 o'clock, M.
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The fine steamer WM. GARVIN, Irwin, master, will leave as above on this day, 12th inst., at 12 o'clock, M.
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The fine steamer J. H. DONE, Herron, master, will leave as above on this day, 12th inst., at 4 o'clock, P. M.
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HAVING REMOVED HIS RESI- dence from Jefferson street, between Fourth and Fifth, to Second street, two doors above Christ Church, will be pleased to see his former friends and patrons, together with all who may favor him with their patronage. ap17 d1m

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AT THE CORNER OF MARKET & Fourth streets, Boots and Shoes. The subscriber is now in receipt of his Spring and Summer stock of Boots and Shoes, which has been selected with great care from the best manufactories East, comprising a large variety, all of which will be sold as low as at any other house. T. G. WATERS,
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FRENCH DRESS AND MANTUA Maker, Fourth street, West side, between Green and Walnut.

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Cash! Cash!! Cash!!!

PERSONS HAVING SECOND- Hand Household or Kitchen Furniture of any description to sell, can find a cash buyer by calling on the undersigned, at No. 510 Market street, between Second and Third. [au30 dlmtf] S. WHARTON.

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☞ Strict secrecy observed in all cases.
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HOME TESTIMONY.

MR. SOLOMONS: BEING COM- pelled to wear spectacles, I have never been able to get a pair but what made my eyes ache. I have tried a great many glasses, but always failed, until I obtained a pair from you. I can see by day or candle light for any length of time, with the greatest ease and comfort.

P. S. I forgot to mention that my wife is greatly benefited by the pair she got, and equally pleased.
J. H. RYAN,
LOUISVILLE, Nov. 9, 1854. 490 Main street.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 16, 1854.

MR. SOLOMONS: Sir—I think it no more than an act of justice to you, as well as to the American community, to state the spectacles I bought of you suit me well. I find my sight much improved. I can see small print with them for any length of time without fatigue to my eyes.
Yours truly, JAS. MARSHALL,
Corner Jefferson and Seventh streets.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 16, 1854.

I take pleasure in saying I have used a pair of Mr. Solomon's celebrated Spectacles for the past three weeks, by day and by gas light, and prefer them decidedly to any glasses heretofore used by me, being pleasant and easy to the eye. I have been using glasses for the past ten years.
no25 d&w ALEX. DUVALL.

NEW CERTIFICATES.

MR. SOLOMONS; SIR: THE benefit I have derived from the Spectacles obtained from you, induces me to express the pleasure I have received from them. They suit my sight to admiration, by candlelight as well as day; I read with the same ease as when a boy, which I could not do with any other glasses I have used. Yours, truly,
CAPT. JOHN SHALLCROSS.
LOUISVILLE, Dec. 22, 1854.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 13, 1855.

MR. SOLOMONS: Being compelled to wear Spectacles, I have never been able to get a pair but what made my eyes ache—I have tried a great many glasses, but always failed, until I obtained a pair from you. I can see by day or candlelight for any length of time, with the greatest ease and comfort. Mrs. Wells is very much pleased with her glasses.
I remain yours, truly, C. WELLS,
No. 664 Jefferson street, next door to Preston.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 18, 1855.

MR. SOLOMONS: Sir—When you first arrived in this city, I called with Mrs. Beattie at your office, and purchased four pairs of your Patent Spectacles. We found them superior to any we had ever used before. They realized more than we could have expected. We can now see as comfortably as when a girl and boy.
I remain yours, respectfully,
J. A. BEATTIE,
MRS. J. A. BEATTIE, Fourth street.

Mr. Solomons can be seen at his office, on Fourth st., between Main and Market, over Raymond & Patton's Drug Store. ja25 dlm*

NOTICE. WE WILL PAY THE highest cash price for NEGROES, at our Negro Depot, on First street, between Market and Jefferson.

We also keep Negroes for sale.
T. ARTERBURN,
ap28 distf&wl J. ARTERBURN.

CRUSHED SUGAR. 100 BBLS AS- sorted numbers, St. James refinery, received per Fanny Bullitt and for sale by
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GOLDEN SYRUP.
30 bbls Belcher's Refinery;
90 kegs do do;
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THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY EVENING, May 10.

Present—All the members, except Alderman Weatherford.

On motion, Alderman Grainger was called upon and took the chair.

The clerk announced communications from Messrs. John Barbee and James S. Speed, as Mayors of the city, and a copy of the judgment of the Jefferson Circuit Court on the Mayor's litigation, which was read.

Alderman Burton moved that both messages be read, pending which,

Alderman Harris moved a call of the house, which was carried, and the Sergeant-at-Arms dispatched, with directions to notify Alderman Weatherford to attend this session, after which said motion for a call of the house was reconsidered.

A resolution from the Common Council, to adjourn until Thursday next, the 17th inst., at half-past 7 o'clock P. M., was concurred in.

Alderman Harris moved that the Board do now adjourn.

Alderman Taylor demanded the yeas and nays thereon, and the motion was carried by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs Harris, Douglass, Kaye, and Howard—4.

Nays—Mr. Chairman Grainger, and Messrs. Taylor and Burton—3.

So the Board adjourned.

O. H. STRATTAN, Clerk.

OFFICIAL.

Board of Common Council.

THURSDAY EVENING, May 10.

Present—All the members except Mr. Haydon.

The reading of the proceedings of the last session was, on motion, dispensed with.

Mr. Gillis, by leave, presented a resolution, "That, as the General Council have heretofore declared who is the Mayor of the city of Louisville, and that they will adhere to their former decision until the question of the Mayoralty is finally determined by the Court of Appeals."

Mr. Dunlap moved to refer said resolution to the Revision Committee; which was lost.

Mr. Zeigler moved to lay said resolution on the table; which motion was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Dunlap, Pope, Reasor, and Zeigler—4.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Beatty, Gailbreath, Gillis, Holbrook, Pennebaker, Plummer, Raphael, Shanks, Vaughan, and Weaver—11.

Mr. Zeigler asked that the clerk read the communication from Messrs. Barbee and Speed, which was carried; whereupon the clerk read a copy of the judgment from the Jefferson Circuit Court; which was ordered to be filed.

The clerk also read a communication from John Barbee, Esq.; which was ordered to be filed.

On motion, Mr. Gillis was allowed to withdraw said resolution, whereupon the same was withdrawn.

Mr. Dunlap, by leave, presented a petition from sundry citizens praying to have Campbell street, between Marshall and Campbell streets, graded, paved, and curbed; also, a petition to have Franklin street, between Shelby and Campbell, graded, paved, and macadamized; which were severally referred to Street Committee of Western District.

Mr. Weaver, by leave, presented a petition from W. Garvin, W. J. Liudenberger, and others, owners of property on Broadway, between Fourth and Fifth streets, praying to have the sum of $292 00, paid by them collectively, for regrading said street, allowed them by the city; which was referred to Street Committee, Western District.

Mr. Pennebaker, by leave, presented the apportionment for grading, boulddering, and curbing Ormsby street, from Eighth to Ninth streets; which was referred to Street Committee, Western District, with leave to report this evening.

Same presented a resolution, that when the Council adjourn it adjourn to meet again on Thursday, the 17th of May, 1855, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.; which was adopted, and returned concurred in and adopted, by the Board of Aldermen.

Mr. Dunlap, by leave, presented a communication from Kentucky Fire Company, No. 5, asking the General Council to confirm the election of Geo. Darkie as Warden of said Company; which was referred to Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Pope, by leave, presented an ordinance to complete grading and paving of the alley between Gray, Broadway, Brook, and Floyd streets; which was referred to the Street Committee of the Eastern District, with leave to report this evening.

Mr. Beatty, from Finance Committee, to whom was referred the report of the Guardians of the Alms House, for the month of April, asked to be discharged from the consideration of said report, and was discharged, whereupon said report was referred to the Committee on Alms House.

The same, to whom was referred several resolutions from the Board of Aldermen, allowing J. V. Jones $12 65, for lettering signs at new court rooms; also, A. McBride $24 55, for hardware; also, Geo. Klaphoke & Co. $12 60, for work on market houses, and Henry Dunker $6 00, for hinges, &c., furnished new Court House, reported in favor of said resolutions; which report was concurred in, and said resolutions adopted.

The same, to whom was referred a resolution from the Board of Aldermen, allowing D. Nevin $600 45 for stone work on new City Court Rooms, reported an amendment to said resolution, directing the Auditor to credit said amount on said Nevin's note to the city for $1,049 87; which amendment was concurred in, and said resolution adopted as amended.

Mr. Pennebaker, from Revision Committee, to whom was referred a communication of the Mayor, in regard to the office of Assistant City Attorney, reported that an Ordinance had been previously submitted, and asked to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject; and was discharged.

The same, to whom was referred a report of the Select Committee on "An Ordinance for the benefit of the Fort Wayne and Southern Railroad Company," reported in favor of said Ordinance. Mr. Dunlap stated that Hon. W. P. Thomasson wished to address the Board upon the subject of said Ordinance. Whereupon Mr. Thomasson appeared and made an eloquent and stirring appeal to the Members of the Board for the passage of the Ordinance, picturing to them in glowing terms the great advantages that would result to the city of Louisville on the completion of said road.

On motion of Mr. Shanks, the Ordinance was read once, the second reading dispensed with; and the same was passed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Messrs. Dunlap, Gailbreath, Holbrook, Pennebaker, Reasor, Raphael, Shanks, Weaver, and Zeigler—9.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Beatty, Gillis, Pope, Plummer, and Vaughan—6.

Mr. Pennebaker, from Revision Committee, to whom was referred "An Ordinance fixing a license for Hucksters," reported as a substitute thereto, "An Ordinance fixing the price for License to Hucksters, at One Hundred Dollars;" which report was concurred in by the following vote:

Ayes—Mr. President, Messrs. Gailbreath, Gillis, Holbrook, Pope, Pennebaker, Reasor, Raphael, Shanks, Vaughan, Weaver, and Zeigler—12.

Nays—Messrs. Beatty, Dunlap, and Plummer—3.

Whereupon said substitute was passed.

The same, to whom was referred an ordinance for the proper observance of the Sabbath day, reported against same; which report was rejected by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Messrs. Beatty, Gillies, Pennebaker, Shanks, and Vaughan—5.

Nays—Mr. President, Dunlap, Gailbreath, Holbrook, Pope, Plummer, Reasor, Raphael, Weaver, and Zeigler—10.

Mr. Raphael moved to refer said ordinance to a select committee; which motion was carried, and said ordinance referred to a select committee consisting of Messrs. Raphael, Beatty, and Dunlap.

Mr. Pennebaker, from Revision Committee, to whom was referred an ordinance from the Board Aldermen, entitled "An ordinance fixing the salaries of city officers," reported same, with the following amendments:

The second paragraph of first section allowing the Auditor $1,200 per annum, by striking out $1,200, and inserting $1,100; which was concurred in.

The sixth paragraph of first section allowing the Street Inspectors $600 per annum, by striking out six hundred dollars and inserting $800; which was rejected.

Mr. Beatty moved to amend by striking out $600 and inserting $700; which was rejected.

The seventh paragraph of first section allowing keepers of Work and Poor-houses $600, by striking out $600, and inserting $500; which was rejected.

The tenth paragraph of first section allowing Assessor of Taxes $1,200, by striking out $1,200 and inserting $1,500; which was concurred in.

The eleventh paragraph of first section allowing Assistant Assessors of taxes or License Inspector $600, by striking out $600 and inserting $800; which was rejected.

The fifteenth paragraph of section 1st allowing the physicians of the Eastern and Western Districts $400, by striking out $400 and inserting $500. Mr. Raphael moved for a division of the question, and said amendment was concurred in.

The sixteenth paragraph of first section allowing the keeper of the Alms house $600, by striking out $600 and inserting $500; which was rejected.

Mr. Dunlap moved to amend the first paragraph of the first section allowing the clerks of the General Council $800 per annum, by striking out $800 and inserting $700; which was concurred in.

Mr. Dunlap moved to amend the eighth paragraph of first section, allowing the City Engineer $1,200, by striking out $1,200 and inserting $1,400; which was concurred in.

Mr. Vaughan moved to amend the ninth paragraph of section first allowing the Assistant City Engineer $600, by striking out $600 and inserting $800; which was rejected.

Mr. Gillies moved to amend 12th paragraph of section 1st, allowing Interpreter of City Court $300, by striking out $300 and inserting $400; which was rejected.

The same moved to amend 13th paragraph of section 1st, allowing Superintendent of Marine Hospital $750, by striking out $750 and inserting $900; which was rejected.

Mr. Gillies moved to amend 15th paragraph of section 1st, allowing day and night watchmen $1 50 each per day or night engaged on duty, by striking out $1 50 and inserting $1 75.

Mr. Reasor moved to amend by allowing night watchmen $2 per night; which was concurred in by the following vote:

Ayes—Mr. President, Messrs. Gailbreath, Gillies, Holbrook, Plummer, Reasor, Raphael, Vaughan, and Zeigler—9.

Nays—Messrs. Beatty, Dunlap, Pope, Pennebaker, Shanks, and Weaver—6.

Mr. Raphael moved further to amend by allowing day watchmen $2 per day; which was concurred in by the following vote:

Ayes—Mr. President, Messrs. Gillies, Holbrook, Pope, Plummer, Reasor, Raphael, Vaughan, Weaver, and Zeigler—10.

Nays—Messrs. Beatty, Dunlap, Gailbreath, Pennebaker, and Shanks—5.

Whereupon said ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote:

Ayes—Mr. President, Messrs. Gailbreath, Gilliss, Holbrook, Pope, Pennebaker, Plummer, Reasor, Raphael, Vaughan, Weaver, and Zeigler—12.

Nays—Messrs. Dunlap, Beatty, and Shanks—3.

Mr. Dunlap, by leave, presented a resolution directing the Street Inspector of the Eastern District, to place a water box at the southwest wing of Brook street bridge; which was adopted.

Mr. Dunlap moved to adjourn, and thereupon the Board adjourned, to meet again on Thursday, May 17th, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

EDWARD COCKE, Clerk.

The Voice of the Grass.

This charming little poem we have lately seen in the English papers without a signature, and published as belonging to England. It was written by Mrs. Sarah Roberts, of Portsmouth, N. H., and was originally printed in the Portsmouth Journal. Mary Howitt, in her "Pictorial Calendar of the Seasons," quotes it with high praise. It is worthy of it:

Here I come creeping, creeping everywhere;
By the dusty road-side,
On the sunny hill-side,
Close by the noisy brook,
In every shady nook,
I come creeping, creeping everywhere.

Here I come creeping, creeping everywhere;
All round the open door,
Where sit the aged poor,
Here with the children play,
In the bright and merry May,
I come creeping, creeping everywhere.

Here I come creeping, creeping everywhere;
You cannot see me coming,
Nor hear my low sweet humming;
For in the starry night,
And the glad morning light,
I come quietly creeping everywhere.

Here I come creeping, creeping everywhere;
More welcome than the flowers.
In summer's pleasant hours;
The gentle cow is glad,
And the merry bird not sad
To see me creeping, creeping everywhere.

Here I come creeping everywhere:
When you're numbered with the dead
In your still and narrow bed,
In the happy spring I'll come,
And deck your silent home,
Creeping, silently creeping everywhere.

Here I come creeping, creeping everywhere:
My humble soug of praise,
Most gratefully I raise
To Him at whose command
I beautify the land,
Creeping, silently creeping everywhere.

ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE.—A fair female was yesterday up for examination before Recorder Bright, on a charge of having feloniously taken from an iron chest, in the Piney Wood's House, at the corner of Circus and Julia streets, two mortgage notes of $850 each, and $1,000 in cash belonging to the estate of the late Jean Beltran. The complaint was made by Mateo Beltran, the brother of the deceased, who claimed the money and notes as administrator of the succession of her deceased husband. It was, however, proved that the fair accused had lived with Jean Beltran as his wife for a number of years; that he had introduced her generally among his neighbors as his wife, and had always appeared to be extremely kind to her. One of the aldermen of Jefferson City, who visited him a few days before his death, found him in bed and the woman weeping by his side. Beltran said to the Alderman, "You have known me a number of year's and now I intend to tell you a secret; this woman with whom I have been living for so long a time is not legally my wife; I have never been married to her, and that's why she is crying, but I intend to send for a Catholic priest so that we may get married, in such a manner as to render our marriage valid under the laws of Spain: to which country I intend to take her as soon as I get well."

He, however, got worse, and a priest was sent for to perform the marriage ceremony; but the ceremony could not be performed, because, at the time, Beltran was unable to speak. Subsequently another priest was sent for, and he went through some ceremony, but none of the witnesses were able to say whether it was a marriage ceremony or not. Eventually, Beltran died, and his brother Mateo, the prosecutor in the case, was present when he was laid out. Before the burial of the corpse, this brother himself, as several witnesses averred, opened the iron chest in which Jean Beltran kept his more valuable effects, and, with his own hands, gave the two notes and the $1,000 to his brother's wife or mistress—the same notes and money which he subsequently charged her with having stolen. On this state of facts the Recorder promptly dismissed the case, and afterwards Mateo Beltran was arrested on a charge of perjury, his statement being inconsistent, and in entire variance with the facts as related by a number of respectable witnesses. Indeed it was proved that Mateo, at the time he gave the notes and money to the woman, apologized for not giving her a more liberal share of his brother's effects.

N. O. True Delta, 5th.

BEAUTIFUL PARABLE.—A Jew entered a Parsee temple, and lavished the sacred fire: "What," said he to the priest, "ye worship the fire?"

"Not the fire," answered the priest; "it is to us the emblem of the sun, and of his genial heat."

"Do you then worship the sun as your God?" asked the Jew. "Know ye not, this luminary also is but a work of that Almighty Creator?"

"We know it," replied the priest, "but the uncultivated man requires a sensible sign, in order to form a conception of the Most High. And is not the sun, the incomprehensible source of light, an image of that invisible Being, who blesses and preserves all things?"

The Israelite thereupon rejoined—"Do your people then distinguish the type from the original? They call the sun their God, and descending even from this to a baser object, they kneel before an earthly flame. Ye amuse the outward and blind the inward eye, and while ye hold to them the earthly, ye withdraw from them the heavenly light. 'Thou shalt not make unto thee any image or any likeness.'"

"How then do you designate the Supreme Being?" asked the Parsee.

"We call him Jehovah Adonia, that is, the Lord who is, who was, and who will be," answered the Jew.

"Your appellation is grand and sublime," said the Parsee, "but it is awful, too."

A Christian then drew nigh, and said—"We call him FATHER."

The Pagan and the Jew looked at each other and said: "Here is at once an image and a reality: it is a word of the heart," said they.

Therefore they raised their eyes to heaven, and said with reverence and love—"OUR FATHER!" And they took each other by the hand, and all three called one another brothers.

F. A. Krummacher.

☞ The perfume of flowers may be gathered, according to the Scientific American, in a very simple manner, and without apparatus. Gather the flowers with as little stalk as possible, and place them in a jar, three parts full of olive or almond oil. After being in the oil twenty-four hours, put them into a coarse cloth, and squeeze the oil from them. This process, with fresh flowers, is to be repeated according to the strength of the perfume desired. The oil being thus thoroughly perfumed with the volatile principle of the flowers, is to be mixed with an equal quantity of pure rectified spirit, and shaken every day for a fortnight, when it may be poured off, ready for use. As the seasons for sweet-scented blossoms is just approaching, this method may be practically tested, and without any great trouble or expense. It would add additional interest to the cultivation of flowers.

☞ "Tell your mistress I have torn the curtain," said a gentleman to a female domestic.

"Very well, sir, mistress can put it down as rent."

☞ Never take a paper more than ten years without paying the printer, or at least sending him a lock of your hair to let him know that you are about.

☞ In a late speech, Lucy Stone said, "We know that there is cotton in the ears of men.—Let us look for hope in the bosoms of women." May you not find some cotton here, too, Miss Lucy?

☞ "Dearest angel, don't the keys of the piano forte make you forget the keys of the store-room, or the enlightenment of your understanding prevent you from inquiring the price of candles?"

☞ "What did you hang that cat for, Isaac?" asked the school marm.

The boy looked up, and with a grave countenance answered:

"For mice-tiny, marm."

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Log chains, traces, axes, hatchets, picks, mattocks, planes, wood saws, coopers' tools, bellows, vices, guns, horse shoe nails, iron wedges, stocks and dies, augers, chisels, shovels, spades, rakes, hoes, and every description of house building, farmers' and carpenters' tools, for sale low for cash by

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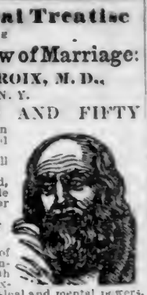

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